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BIRTHS.

McBOWELL—May 22, 1929, at Waterloo House, Esplanade, Bray, to Mr. and Mrs. C. S. McDowell, a son (Charles Sydney).

NOLAN—May 26, 1929, at Stella Maris, Earlsfort terrace, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Nolan, 26 South terrace, Inchicore, a daughter.

PRICE—May 8, 1929, at a Nursing Home, to Joyce, wife of James Chermside Price, of 18 Oriental Place, Brighton, a son. Indian papers please copy.

MARRIAGE.

BLENKINSHIP and BEATTIE—May 22, 1929, at All Saints' Church, Woolwich, London, S.E., by the Rev. C. Gilbert, Vicar, Sergeant J. Blenkinship R.A.S.C., Malta, eldest son of Mr. T. Blenkinship, Wells, Norfolk, to Gladys, eldest daughter of the late Mr. G. Beattie (Canteen Manager), Crinkle, Birr, and Mrs. Beattie, 3 Llanover road, Woolwich, London, S.E.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this column will be found on Page 6.

DARRAGH—May 30, 1929, at a Private Nursing Home, James J. Darragh, of 78 Palmerston road. May the Lord have mercy on his soul. Funeral arrangements later.

DEMPSEY—May 29, 1929, at Monsea House, Nenagh, Armes, dearly-beloved wife of Paul Dempsey, and daughter of the late Michael Condon, 28 Mary street, Cork. High Mass at Carrig Church to-day (Friday) at 10 a.m. (summer time). Funeral to St. Joseph's Cemetery, Cork, by road, after Mass.

DROHAN—May 30, 1929, at her residence, New street, Carrick-on-Suir, Margaret, beloved wife of Patrick Drohan. Deeply regretted by her sorrowing husband and children. Funeral to-morrow (Saturday) morning, after High Mass at St. Nicholas's Church.

JOHNSTON—On Wednesday, May 29, 1929, at Montana, Switzerland, after a lingering illness, patiently borne, Mabel, the wife of W. S. Johnston, Arno, Bray.

KINGSTON—May 30, 1929, at Private Nursing Home, Ellen Rogers (Nellie), dearly-loved elder daughter of the late Richard Paul Kingston and Mrs. Kingston, Portfield House, Cowper road, Rathmines. Funeral (private) from residence to-morrow (Saturday).

LAMBERT—May 6, 1929, at a Nursing Home in Johannesburg, of pneumonia, Henry William Reginald, third son of the late Thomas Walter Lambert, Agard, County Galway, Ireland. Foreign papers please copy.

MULHOLLAND—May 30, 1929, at Private Nursing Home, after a brief illness, Mary R., eldest daughter of the late Joseph Mulholland, 20 South Lotta road. Funeral private.

PARKER—May 30, 1929, Herbert Parker, passed away, after long illness. Funeral at 4 o'clock (new time) to-morrow (Saturday).

PINCHIN—May 30, 1929, at Glyndwr, Morfa Drive, Conway, John Fitzmaurice Pinchin, O.B.E. (Mil.), R.N.R., one of younger brethren, Trinity House, late Commodore Holyhead-Kingstown Mail Boats, aged 72. Funeral at Conway, 12.30 p.m., to-morrow (Saturday), June 1st.

RAMSAY—May 29, 1929, at her residence, 29 Williams' place, Elizabeth, beloved wife of Thomas F. Ramsay. Deeply regretted by her sorrowing husband, family, relatives, and friends. R.I.P. Funeral to-morrow (Saturday) morning, after 10 o'clock Mass, from St. Kevin's, Harrington street, for interment in Mount Jerome.

THOMPSON—May 30, 1929, Margretta Evelyn, eldest and dearly-loved daughter of John H. and Margie Thompson, Blaney Lodge, Enniskillen, aged 15 years.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

Patrick, Mrs., and Mrs. James McKenna, Main street, Cloughjordan, desire to return sincere thanks to their numerous friends who sent telegrams and letters of sympathy in their recent sad bereavement, and trust all will accept this in grateful acknowledgment.

IN MEMORIAM.

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Dated this 27th day of May, 1929.

WILLIAM FRY and SONS, Solicitors for said Executors, 14 Lower Mount street, Dublin.

To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests and all whom it may concern.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS.

ELIZABETH HOLMES, of 4 Tros-Yr-Afon terrace, Strand road, Bray, in the County of Wicklow, Widow, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Statutes 30 and 31 Vic., cap. 54, and 34 and 35 Vic., cap. 102, that the above-named Deceased by her Will dated the 17th day of December, 1927, appointed Sarah Elizabeth Holmes, of 4 Tros-Yr-Afon terrace, Strand road, Bray, in the County of Wicklow, Spinster, and Frederick Gerard Sharpe, of 6 Dawson street, in the County of the City of Dublin, Solicitor, Executrix and Executor of her said Will, and thereby bequeathed (inter alia) the following legacies:—

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Probate of the said Will was, on the 9th day of May, 1929, granted to the said Sarah Elizabeth Holmes and the said Frederick Gerard Sharpe, the Executrix and Executor named in the said Will.

Dated this 14th day of May, 1929.

MILWARD JONES, MAYNE and SHARPE, 6 Dawson street, Dublin, Solicitors for the said Executrix and Executor.

To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests in Saorstat Eireann, and all concerned.

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Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors or otherwise to have any claim against the estate of the above Deceased, who died on the 23rd day of February, 1929, are hereby required, on or before the 5th day of July, 1929, to furnish (in writing) particulars of such claim or demand to the undermentioned Solicitors for the Westminster Bank, Limited, the sole Executor of his will, to whom probate was granted by the Principal Registry of the High Court of Justice, Saorstat Eireann, on the 21st day of May, 1929.

And Notice is hereby further given that after the said 5th day of July, 1929, the said Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which particulars shall have been furnished as above required.

Dated the 30th day of May, 1929.

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To the Superintendent of the Garda Siochana, Store street, Dublin;

The Clerk of the District Court for said Court Area, Courthouse, Inns quay, Dublin.

To the County Registrar, Green street, Dublin.

(Signed), JAMES SMITH, Applicant, 5 Beresford Place, Dublin.

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MOTORING NOTES.

The International Races: Free State Hotel Charges.

The entries for the International Motor Races, to be held in Phœnix Park on Friday and Saturday, 12th and 13th of July, now total 47, and while the regulations governing the race provide for the enforcing of extra entry fees after the final closing days by whatever penalty the promoters decide to impose, it is extremely unlikely that further entries will be received.

Very few of the entrants have so far nominated their drivers, but from the names of those nominated it is very obvious, as far as class goes, that the drivers taking part will compare favourably with the best of those in any contests that have yet been held. Included among those who will pilot the cars are G. Rampini, the winner of the recent Junior Car Club's double twelve hours trial at Brooklands; and S. C. H. Davis, who finished second in the same trial.

The road track is now almost completed, the grand stand is in course of erection, and no doubt is entertained that everything will be completed in plenty of time for the event.

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FREE STATE HOTELS.

There are still too many hotels in the country which need considerable improvement before they put themselves in a condition which will be appreciated not only by tourists, but by motorists in the Free State.

Cleanliness, attention to detail in service, and the reception of visitors, are some of the things which Mr. A. F. Morrison, of the Automobile Association (Dublin), found lacking during one of his periodical inspections of hotels throughout the Free State which are either already on the list of recommended hotels which the Association supplies to its members, or which have made application to be placed thereon. The centres visited were Wicklow, Waterford, Wexford, Cork, Galway, Sligo, Mayo and Roscommon, and outside the principal hotels in these parts the remainder, even some of the pretentious institutions, must make considerable headway before they will satisfy the tourist in the service offered.

In his travels Mr. Morrison found that, in many instances, the charges for meat teas—in fact, for any light meal—were exorbitant. A party of three passing through Donegal, for instance, called at a hotel there about dinner time for three packets of sandwiches for which they had to pay 10s. 6d. The charge was questioned, and the excuse given by the hotel manager was that as the party called at dinner time the charge was the same as for dinner. This is one example of the unconscionable charges made for light refreshments to passing motorists by some of the hotels in the Free State, and it is not surprising that such a practice has compelled motorists to carry with them the wherewithal to provide their own luncheons and teas on the roadside.

Bathrooms in a great many hotels generally cause a bad impression. Some, said Mr. Morrison, appeared not to have been used for years, while the linen he described as downright dirty. Table linen, too, was soiled, and there is not nearly enough attention given to strict cleanliness. The fact that some of the applications to be placed on the approved list were from hotels which were *minus* a bathroom will indicate how utterly unsuitable are many of those in charge of the hotel business to cater for visitors.

There are, as Mr. Morrison pointed out, several exceptions in some centres, where the traveller is assured of absolute cleanliness, good service and excellent food at reasonable charges, and the remedy suggested by Mr. Morrison is that the proprietors or managers of these inefficient hotels should pay a visit to those hotels, many of them small, which since their reorganisation have filled a very long-felt want.

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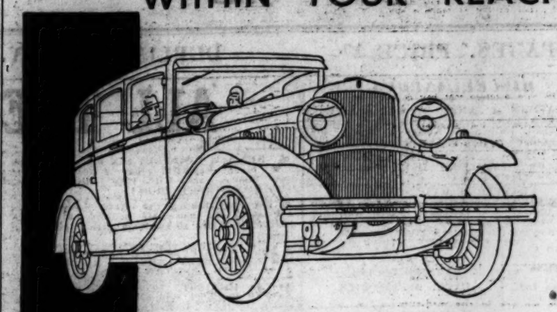

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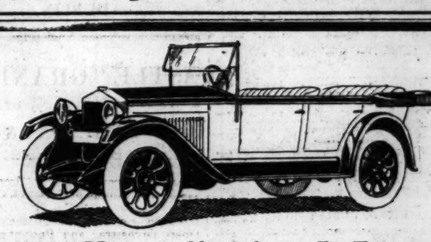

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GUNS—Webley and Scott's Hammerless, £12 and £16 10/-; other makes Hammerless from £6 10/-; Ejectors from £9 10/-; Gun Repairs, all kinds, executed; Gun Fitting at range a speciality. Catalogues free.—Keegan, Gunmaker, Inns quay, Dublin. 8 25

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FOR Sale, Scotch Wag, centre board boat, sail, spars complete, excellent condition, £9.—Foot, Dalkey.

FOR Sale, eighteen foot half decked Boat, new sails, fuel, garboards, centre casing; lying Kingstown.—S 1068, this office. 30 F

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MOTOR Boat, 19-6 x 5-5, speed 6 miles, well found; cheap.—Mahony, Boat Builder, Dun Laoghaire.

WANTED to Purchase immediately, Cabin Cruiser, perfect condition; reasonable price.—S 1084, this office.

POULTRY, CAGE BIRDS, DAIRY.

SEASONABLE HINTS.

Writing on this subject in the *Weekly Irish Times*, the Poultry Correspondent says:—

Here we are in the mid-summer month, and it is pleasing to think that, though the start of the season was so unpropitious, we have recovered a great deal of lost time, and reports generally are very favourable. Though, perhaps, farmers would have desired more rain than we had, the warmer atmosphere, with the gentle prolonged showers, has worked wonders, and poultry-keepers, as a whole, are well satisfied, as heavy rain is always troublesome while trying to prevent the young birds from being drenched. The freshness of the new growth of herbage is so alluring that many of the older birds, especially the geese, do not always wait for their morning feed, but hurry off to feast on the early worm and the choice nibble of grass. We hope there are none of our readers who close their fowls up at night just now. Farmers, as a rule, err on the other side, and sometimes have even no doors to their houses; but small poultry-keepers frequently think they cannot keep their birds too warm, and have the doors closed summer as well as winter. From this on there should be plenty of air in the roosting houses, and, if it is a necessity to keep a closed door, it would be a good plan to substitute a wire door for the ordinary one. If the owner is not up in time in the morning to let the fowls out, the trap-door should be left open. The birds are off the perches at an early hour, and they should be able to get out at least into the outside shed, if not allowed their liberty. Those on free range might get a slight feed of soft mash before they are off to the fields, and the confined birds might have a little grain in the scratching shed before they get their breakfast.

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PULLETS Wanted; particulars. Address "Z 437, Pullets," this office

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WHITE Wyandottes, Rhode Island Reds, White Leghorns, day olds; ready for despatching; guaranteed pure bred, healthy and strong; 10/- dozen, free; American Bronze Turkey Eggs, 15/- dozen.—Mrs. Murray, Kilmessan, Meath. 29 A

WANTED, Aylesbury Ducklings, Light Sussex, Barred Rocks; age, price. Address "Z 574, Ducklings," this office.

GARDEN, FARM, BEES, ETC.

PLANTING DAHLIAS.

Writing on this subject in the *Weekly Irish Times*, the Gardening Correspondent says:—

First dividing the stools carefully to the end of each planting set having a quota of fleshy tubers with two young shoots attached, merely a question at the moment of two strings to one's bow until safety is assured, when the best only is retained; for we still believe in the single stem, and so far as Crimson Flag is concerned its stiff and sturdy habit requires no staking, and it is kept to the single stem for some two feet by disbudding until allowed to branch out and bloom. The planting consists of a basin-like hole in the ordinary soil to facilitate watering; no manure, but a sprinkle of fertiliser occasionally, and by this means we get bouquets of bloom, which we want, instead of faggots of foliage, which we do not want.

AT Drummond's—Procure their List of Bedding Plants of Antirrhinums, Asters, Begonias, Calceolarias, Dahlias, Geraniums, Larkspurs, Lobelias, Marguerites, Marigolds, Pansies, Petunias, Stocks, Sweet Peas, etc.; all strong, well grown plants.—Drummond's, Ltd., 58 Thomas street, Dublin. T

ANTIRRHINUMS, 36 Flowers 8d., Alyssum 6d., Lobelia 8d., Chrysanthemums 2/-, Violas 1/9, Calendulas 9d., Marigolds 8d., Geums 1/3, Aquilegia 1/3, Hollyhocks 1/6 per dozen, postage 9d. extra.—Ballydevitt Nurseries, Aghadowey, Co. Londonderry. 27 F

ANTIRRHINUMS, Sutton's Intermediate, in fifteen varieties, 1/2 1/6, 100 4/6; Chrysanthemums, early (outdoor), and late (indoor), 12, all different, unnamed 3/-, named 3/6; Violets, "Princess of Wales," 100 6/6; Rock Plants, 12, all different, 5/—Canon Patten. 29 A

ALYSSUM, Sutton's Minimum, 12 9d., 100 5/-; Violas, Maggie Mott, etc., 12 2/-, 100 14/-; Sweet Peas, 12 1/-, 100 6/-; Celery, Sutton's Giant White, 100 3/6; Cauliflowers, 100 3/-; Leeks, 100 2/6; also Stock, Lobelia, Nemesia, etc. Write for descriptive List. Strong, well transplanted plants. Part post or carriage, 6d. extra—Canon Patten, Fethard Rectory, Co. Tipperary. 29 A

BEDDING Plants—Antirrhinums, Sutton's New Bedding, Orange-Red and Apricot, 1/2 per dozen, 7/- 100; Larkspur, 1/3 dozen, 8/6 100; Pansies, Sutton's mixed colours, 2/- dozen, 14/- 100; Tenweek Stock, 1/6 dozen; Viola Cornuta, yellow, 2/6 dozen, 18/- 100; all post free.—Manager, Lissadell, Sligo. T

BEES—Swarms from healthy stocks, in Skeps, 15/-.—73, Irish Times Branch Office, Bray. 29 A

BRADSHAW, Artane—Bargains in big Flowering Plants for your garden; thousands to offer; Asters, including the Giant, Comet, Ostrich Feather and Victoria, 5/- 100, 50 3/-; stocks same price; Carnations Double Border, grand plants to flower, 2/6 dozen; Delphiniums, Lupins, Sweet William, 2/6 dozen; Dahlia Cactus from pots, 4/6 dozen.

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BEES for Sale, June swarms, 15/-.—Griffin, Oldtown, Rathvilly. 30 F

CHOICEST Geraniums, extra strong, from pots; Crampel, Jacoby, dozen 6/-; Denmark, Rasmail, 6/6; Ivy-leaf, Crouse, Mme. Crousse, 5/6 free, if packed in box 6d. dozen extra. Lists free.—Dugan, Nurseries, Carlow. 30 B

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CHOICEST Dahlias, Cactus, Peony, decorative, good stock of Coltness Gem, huge collection; see list; 6 5/-, 12 8/6 free, my selection.—Dugan, Carlow. 30 B

CHOICEST Lobelia, extra strong clumps; 25 2/-, 50 2/9, 100 5/-; Ageratum blue, gorgeous for edging, same price.—Dugan.

CHOICEST Begonia, best bedding plant in existence, flowers till October, stang, from 3in. pots; Single, crimson, white, scarlet, copper, red, yellow, pink; 6 3/6, 12 6/6; Doubles, same colours and price.—Dugan. 30 B

CHOICEST Alyssum, Beet, Cornflower, Dianthus, Larkspur, Nasturtium, Nemesia, Nigella, Phlox Drummondi, Scabious, Tagetes; all 25 2/-, 50 3/6.—Dugan, Carlow. 30 B

CHOICEST Hellotrope, strong; 6 1/6, 12 2/6; Musk, sweet scented, 3 1/3.—Dugan.

CHOICEST Collection of 20 Flowering and Foliage Plants, for window or greenhouse, 8/6 free, worth double.—Dugan, Carlow. 30 B

CHOICEST Marrow Plants, 3 2/-, 6 3/6; Cutdoor Cucumbers, same price; Frame Cucumbers, 2 2/6, 4 4/-.—Dugan. 30 B

CHOICEST Tomatoes, for greenhouse or outdoor, strong plants, from boxes; 6 2/-, 12 3/-; from pots, 6 2/9, 12 4/6 free.—Dugan, Carlow. 30 B

CHOICEST Fruit Netting—Protect your Strawberries—50 yards x 2 yards 10/-, 50 x 3 yards 12/6, 50 x 4 yards 16/6, post free.—Dugan. 30 B

COLOSSAL Swede, magnificent copper, splendid keeper, per lb. 2/6, post free.—Wm. Power and Co., Waterford. Nurserymen and Seedmerchants. 27 F

CABBAGE—Early Whitening and Drumhead, strong plants, per 1,000 15/-, rail paid; 100 2/6, post free.—Wm. Power and Co., Waterford. 27 F

CHRYSANTHEMUM Plants, Granfield Yellow, 3/6; C Red, 2/6, 12 plants; 3/6, 12 clumps outdoor Michaelmas Daisies, Double White Snowdrift; others, 3/6 doz.; paid on 12.—Fleming, Rectory, Timoleague. 28

GARDEN Nets, 50 yards by 1 yard 4/-, by 2 yards 8/-, by 3 yards 12/-; 100 yards by 3 yards 23/6, by 4 yards 29/6; unmeasured mesh allowed; post free.—Staveley's Stores, 137 Parnell street, Dublin. 12 24

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GARDEN, FARM, BEES, ETC.—CONTINUED.

LOBELIA, deep orange Erinus, 3/- doz.; separate Mixed-in-hose, 6/- doz.—Lennon, Ballyclare, Moyvalley, Kildare.

MACKEY'S Gold Medal Sweet Pea Plants, in choice separate colours, named, 2/- per dozen; Mixed Emperor, named, 1/6 dozen. 29 A

MACKEY'S Gold Medal Antirrhinums, in separate colours, named, 2/- per dozen; mixed colours, 1/6 dozen. 29 A

MACKEY'S Giant Ostrich Plume Asters, special strain, White, Pink, Blue, Mauve, 2/- per dozen. 29 A

MACKEY'S Early Outdoor Chrysanthemums, out of pots, new sorts, named, 5/- dozen; mixed sorts, 4/6 dozen. 29 A

MACKEY'S Begonias, for bedding, Gold Medal strain, 9/- dozen; double flowered, 12/- dozen. 29 A

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MACKEY'S White Marguerites, out of pots, 6/- and 9/- per dozen, suitable for window boxes. 29 A

MACKEY'S Ten Week Stock, mixed colours, 1/6 dozen; Tagetes, for borders, 1/6 dozen; Petunias, 1/6 dozen. 29 A

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MACKEY'S Special Fertiliser, for all crops—Before transplanting or sowing Vegetables or Flowers, dust a little over the ground; 7lbs. will treat 50 square yards; 2/6, post free; cwt. 18/6, carriage paid.—Sir James W. Mackey, Ltd., Seedsmen, 23 Upper O'Connell street, Dublin. 'Phone 373. 29

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SPEIRS Bedding Plants now ready—Asters, Antirrhinums, Stocks, Marigolds, Phlox Drummondii, Lobelia, and Ageratum for edging; Clarkias, Scabious, Sunflower, Mignonette, Sultans, Verbena, 10d. doz., 3/- for 50, 5/6 100; all good plants; collection consisting 1 plants each of above, carriage 6d. extra.—Nurseries, Athy. 26 F

SPEIRS Violas and Pansies, nice clumps of best varieties, 2/6 doz., post 6d.

SPEIRS Chrysanthemums, early, 2/6 each; lates, 5/-; Begonias, 4/-; Marguerites, 2/6 to 4/-; Dahlias, mixed, 3/-; Mallows, 2/-; Salvias, Harbinger, 6/-; Tomato Plants, 3/-; Cucumber Plants, 3/-; all per dozen; Celery Plants, 3/6 per 100, postage 6d.

SPEIRS new trailing Lobelia, double, excellent for baskets, 6d. each. 26 F

SPEIRS Preliminary Notice—The contract for the complete floral decoration of the Dublin Monuments, Bridges, Lamp Standards, etc., during Emancipation Centenary Celebrations has been placed in our hands. We will probably auction all Plants, Shrubs, etc., on completion of above decoration; exact date later. For full particulars write to Burtown Nurseries, Athy. 26 F

TOMATO Plants—Sutton's Best of All Red, Carter's Sunrise Red, and Kondine Red Improved, ex 3" pots, papered separately and packed post free, 3/- per dozen.—Manager, Lissadell, Sligo. T

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VEGETABLE Plants—Broccoli, Walcheren, Sutton's Satisfaction and Bouquet, 5/- 100; Brussels Sprouts, Taurus and Sutton's Exhibition, 3/6 100; Cauliflowers, Autumn Giant and Early London, 3/- 100; Kale, Sutton's A 1, 2/6 100; Savoy, Sutton's Drumhead and Best of All, 2/6 100; all post free.—Manager, Lissadell, Sligo. T

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GRAMAPHONE RECORDS.

COVENT GARDEN'S NEW FAVOURITE.

ROSA PONSELLE IN "NORMA."

The success of the American prima donna, Rosa Ponselle, in the revival of "Norma" at Covent Garden Opera House last Tuesday already is common knowledge. It gives a special appeal to the record which will head the June issue of "His Master's Voice" records, on sale to-morrow. The record comes from New York, and in it Ponselle is associated with the Metropolitan Opera Orchestra and another Metropolitan Opera "star," Marion Telva. It gives the duet (not so long forgotten in Dublin as apparently it was in London) "Mira, O Norma."

Another operatic record promised in the same issue is that of Dusolina Giannini singing arias from "Madam Butterfly" and "Manon Lescaut," with the Berlin State Opera Orchestra; and Puccini's music is represented further by a record of Alessandro Valente, with the orchestra of La Scala, Milan, in "The Girl of the Golden West." One of the airs sung by Valente, "Ch'ella mi creda libero" ("Let her believe") was deemed so effective a solo that it once was sung publicly in Dublin by a soprano!

For some time past I have had ready noted for mention a number of orchestral records under the heading of "Spanish Music." Some of the compositions are the work of Spanish composers, such as De Falla, with his ballets, and Turina, with his descriptive piece, "La Procesion de Rocio"; others are the work of French composers who were attracted by Spanish characteristics—Chabrier, with his Spanish Rhapsody, and Debussy, who found inspiration in Spanish scenes. Now, with the list before me, I feel that I hardly need to particularise, for all this music comes out well on the gramaphone, and makes good musical entertainment. All of it is highly coloured, attractively idiomatic, and usually strong in rhythmical vitality. Among the numerous records of ballets and suites and rhapsodies of this class, in performances by various orchestras, issued by "His Master's Voice" and Columbia, there is not one failure. Paris, Madrid, and Philadelphia orchestras all have chosen suitable subjects of this kind for "showing off."

An allied division of orchestral subjects comprises the Russian ballets. Both the principal record-publishing companies have good examples in their lists: I call attention to the Columbia versions of "L'Oiseau de Feu" and "Petrouchka," because in both instances the performance was conducted by the composer, Stravinsky, himself. Of the two I find "Petrouchka" the more pleasing to one who has not the advantage of having seen the ballets.

Among recent issues of pianoforte music deserving of special mention are the Paderewski record of two Chopin Preludes (Nos 15 and 17) and the set of Bach Preludes and Fugues—Nos. 1 to 9 in the first book of the "Wohltempirte Clavier"—played by Miss Harriet Cohen, an authoritative exponent.

A record for everybody is that of the London String Quartet's playing of the "Nocturne" movement from Borodin's Quartet No. 2—the only chamber music movement that vies in popularity with Tchaikowsky's Andante cantabile from opus 11—and Borodin's is less cloyingly sweet than that. There are several versions of the Nocturne in existence for the gramaphone, but the London String Quartet's is, I think, the best. GRAMPUS.

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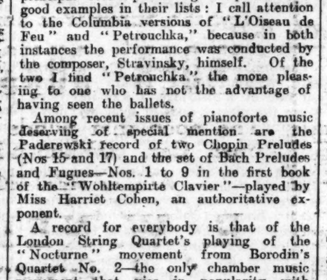

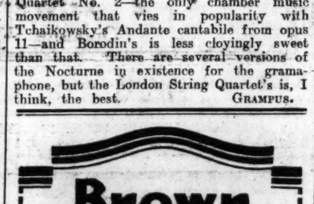

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Books of the Week

HOW TO KNOW THE CONIFERS.

A BOOK OF IRISH FORESTRY.

AMONG the latest publications of the Royal Dublin Society is one that must prove of great value and importance to growers of trees. It may be said to form a distinctly new departure in the study of the large and very perplexing Order to which Mr. H. M. Fitzpatrick has devoted his attention. This is the Order of the coniferous plants—a large series comprising very nearly five hundred living species, to which belong not only and pines, firs, and larches that everyone calls to mind at the first mention of conifers, but the yews, cypresses, thuyas, araucarias and sequairas, with other groups of trees not commonly looked on as cone-bearers, and to some of which that designation in a popular sense would be a distinct misnomer.

This great Order has long been looked on as a remarkably difficult one to study, and it is for the purpose of lessening the great difficulty that so many students have felt in distinguishing the various and often closely-related conifers from one another that Mr. Fitzpatrick has drawn up a series of descriptions, constituting a complete key, that the Royal Dublin Society now publishes. The remarkable feature in this key is that it is based solely on a close study of the leaves and leafing branchlets, instead of requiring—as is so often considered necessary—attention to the flowers and seeds and other parts of the tree.

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It is one of the difficulties of plant-study in nearly every large Order that authorities insist on our paying the closest attention to the structure of the seed-producing and seed-bearing organs, as if these alone could be relied on as yielding vital distinctions. Unluckily for the amateur student who finds himself puzzled by a tree, or bewildered among a number of slightly dissimilar trees, the seeds and seed-bearing organs are in many cases the very parts that he is unable to get at. The flower is borne only for a short season, the seed is not always there, or if there it may be quite out of reach on some of the topmost branches—to say nothing of the perplexity that must confront a geological or "palæobotanical" explorer held down by similar rules, when he finds the imprint of a leaf, but nothing else, imbedded on a piece of old-world rock. Mr. Fitzpatrick has therefore done a real service to the student of the coniferous trees in attempting to relieve him from this dependence on a sort of evidence that is often unobtainable. He has given careful descriptions of the leaves and branchlets of about three hundred species, and seems to have successfully shown that in every case a study of the foliage alone will suffice to establish the identity of any species in his list. A number of excellent plates are a great help to the reader of these elaborate descriptions.

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The economic importance of the conifers is, of course, a feature that adds great value to Mr. Fitzpatrick's work on them. So far as Ireland is concerned, however, this value seems limited to a remarkably small group of species. Of the pines alone we learn that as many as eighty distinct kinds are known, and yet of these eighty only five are suitable for economic planting in the British Isles—these five being the common so-called "Scotch fir" and the Austrian, Corsican, Monterey, and maritime (or pinaster) pines. Mr. Fitzpatrick sets particularly high value on the Corsican pine, which seems to do well in nearly every sort of soil. Of the various spruce-firs, Douglas firs and silver furs the total is over eighty, and the number suitable for profitable planting in these islands is set down as six. As, however, many trees in each of these three groups are cultivated for ornament, the minuteness with which their leaves and buds are here described cannot but prove welcome. Perhaps even closer minuteness has been shown in treating of the different species of cypress and thuya, many of these being invaluable plants for large gardens, though so difficult to discriminate that only a real enthusiast would attempt it. Fortunately for him who does so they are all evergreens, as is, indeed, the general case with coniferous trees, an almost solitary exception being found in the larch. This is a feature which adds much to the helpfulness of Mr. Fitzpatrick's work.

C. B. M.

"Conifers: Keys to the Genera and Species, with Economic Notes." By H. M. Fitzpatrick, B.Agr.Sc. Proceedings of Royal Dublin Society, April, 1929. Price 8/- net.

LIBERALISM, NEW AND OLD.

THREE POLITICAL STUDIES.

MUCH is being heard across the Irish Sea of what is called "the Liberal Revival. Whatever may be the achievements of the Liberal Party at the general election, it is now quite clear that the old Liberalism is dead, and that, instead of a revival, there is a renewal. In the three books now before us this is made quite plain: the Liberalism of *laissez faire* is now no more.

That there are still survivors of the old Liberalism is demonstrated by Sir Ernest J. P. Benn, in the book "The

BENJAMIN ROBERT HAYDON.

FAILURE IN ART: SUCCESS IN LETTERS.

(By "L. H. B.")

FEW stories are more interesting or more tragic than that of Benjamin Robert Haydon. For forty-three years he strove earnestly to convince the world that he was a really great painter of historical subjects. During the greater part of the time he kept a "Diary" or "Journal," confiding to its intimate pages his aspirations and disappointments, his hopes and his despairs. The ups and downs of the struggle, the scanty successes, the all too frequent failures, the long-drawn out agony of financial embarrassment, and the outbursts of the sanguine temperament that upheld him—all these and much else he faithfully recorded, never dreaming that it would be the brush that would fail, and the pen that would succeed, or that, when the giant canvases over which he laboured and wept and prayed, were forgotten, the telling of their troubled story would bring him fame of a different sort. It is over seventy years since his journals were first published. The recent issue of a new edition revived interest in what is undoubtedly a fascinating life-story.

PUPIL OF FUSELI.

Benjamin Robert Haydon was born on the 25th January, 1786. After a very ordinary schooling, at about the age of seventeen, he was apprenticed to his father, a bookseller and printer. The boy had made up his mind to be an artist, and indentures, threats and pleadings alike failed to shake his purpose. The matter caused much anxiety at home, but in the end the father and mother, realising the futility of opposition, yielded, and in May, 1804, young Haydon went to London, carrying with him a few letters of introduction. He was admitted an Academy pupil under Fuseli, and his career as an artist began.

That a mere lad should stand up and prevail against the combined efforts of both parents was a significant foreshadowing of the man who in later life never quailed before an adversary, no matter how highly placed, and, in his twenty-third year, had the audacity openly to attack the governing body of the Royal Academy. The quarrel arose over the hanging of his second picture, "Dentatus." While it was being painted, his studio was frequented by those who affected, if they did not feel, an interest in art. "I was so elevated," he wrote, "at the visit of crowds of beauties, putting up their pretty eyeglasses and lisping admiration of my efforts, that I believed my fortune made; walked about my room; looked into the glass; anticipated what the foreign Ambassadors would say; studied my French for a good accent; believed that all the Sovereigns of Europe would hail an English youth with delight, who could paint a heroic picture." With characteristic self-confidence, he expresses the opinion that the production of the picture would be considered an epoch in English art.

THE FIRST SET-BACK.

Then came the set-back—not the last by any means in his chequered career. The picture was not thought well of by the Selection Committee of the Academy, and it was hung in the ante-room, an obscure position. This was a staggering blow, and Haydon felt it keenly. The tone of the record changes; the jubilant note is gone. "People of fashion," he tells us, "were ashamed to acknowledge they had ever seen either the picture or the painter; my painting room was deserted." The dream of fame had vanished suddenly, and the youth felt, for the moment at all events, that it would never be glad, confident morning again. He related that even Lord Mulgrave, who commissioned the work, and, before its exhibition, had expressed admiration for it, began to mistrust his own judgment in view of the action of the Committee. Haydon believed that a deliberate attempt had been made to injure him, and he openly said so.

I do not propose further to refer to this unhappy dispute, save to say that he fought his corner with unflinching courage. The quarrel began when he was twenty-three, and lasted into the evening of his life. However regrettable some of his actions, it must be conceded that he bore himself bravely, and never had to sheath his sword for lack of argument. Concurrently he carried on another, and, perhaps, less selfish campaign. In season and out of season he strove for greater public recognition of the artist, and it was a factor in the final tragedy of his life that, when such recognition came, his name was passed over.

Among his first fellow-students was Wilkie, the Scottish youth, "tall, pale, quiet, with a fine eye, short nose, vulgar, humourous mouth, but great energy of expression." Wilkie's "Blind Fiddler," painted in his student days, had stamped him as a real artist, and Haydon bore generous testimony to his ability. The two young men became close friends, and, though the friendship was interrupted by misunderstandings and cooled by temperamental differences, it lasted to the end. They criticised and they disapproved of each other; there were estrangements, but, then, over cups of tea, they became once more the aspiring students, and forgot that they ever had a difference. When the news came of Wilkie's death and burial at sea Haydon's words of regret had the ring of sincerity.

A LOSING BATTLE.

The "Journals," if mainly the record of anguished appeals to Heaven for delivery from financial crises, which were only eased to recur, bear witness to the wonderful courage with which the harassed artist fought life's losing battle. "Let me be in want," he cries; "let me be in misery, hungry and faint, and with no money, as I have been, dispirited from sickness and despondent from neglect—if at the end of the day my exertions have been successful, if my picture be advanced, if difficulties have been conquered, I can bear all." Nor was he lacking in self-complacency. He had been looking again at a picture of Macbeth which he had painted some time before, and he says this: "In spite of numerous errors, it is a grand picture. It excites awful feelings; there is an elevation of soul which makes one's breast expand." Eleven years later we have this: "I write this without a shilling in the world, with a large picture before me not half-done, yet with a soul aspiring, ardent, confident, trusting in God for protection and support. I shall read this again with delight—others will read it with wonder." Perhaps, the unequal struggle was beginning to tell on him when, later, he writes the single sentence: "Hail, Sunday—solace of the dray-horse and the debtor."

HONOURED BY KEATS.

The journals are not all devoted to outpourings such as these. In their pages we read of men whose lives and the things they said and did must for ever interest us. We note the hush that falls on the dinner-table when young Shelley startles with some daring revolt against orthodoxy; and we mark the angry flush on Haydon's cheek as he flings his fierce profession of faith back in the poet's face. We see Keats "below the middle size, with a low forehead, and an eye that had an inward look perfectly divine, like a Delphian priestess who saw visions"; and we watch Haydon writing down the pride that he felt when the young poet honoured him with a sonnet, and a letter "out of Devon." We are present when the painter brings about the desired introduction of the somewhat awed Keats to Wordsworth, and over Haydon's shoulder we read that long letter and those sonnets which the same Wordsworth sent him. It is our privilege to look on and listen when the company includes, besides the poets mentioned, such choice spirits as Charles Lamb, Horace Smith, Sir Walter Scott and our own Tom Moore. We echo Haydon's own entry: "It was indeed an immortal evening."

There is so much to note that I have difficulty in selecting. This is curious. The date is October 29th, 1831, and William IV. is not long King. "I called at the Palace to-day; but what a difference in the attendants . . . . Monarchy is setting. In one hundred years more I don't think there will be a King in Europe. It is a pity, I like the splendid delusion; but why make it so expensive? These things won't be borne much longer." The hundred years are nearly up, and, though recent events in Europe have gone far to fulfil the prophecy, we in these countries still reverence the splendid delusion, and are fain to think that its foundations are not less sure to-day than they were when Haydon called at the Palace in 1831.

"Genius," Haydon once declared, "is sent into the world not to obey laws, but to give them." It is a fine idea in the abstract, but, alas! poor Hayden found to his cost that, if genius be unable to pay what it owes, the law can make things very uncomfortable even for one possessed of the divine gift. There were occasions when he knew the interior of the debtors' prison, and, though a brave spirit of defiance mingles with the inevitable appeals to Heaven for help, there is not wanting a note of rebellion against a scheme of things that permits such happenings.

DESPERATE STRAITS.

To a man of Haydon's temperament these experiences must have been very real trials. His conceptions were always on the large scale, and his ideas were magnificent, even if his execution fell short. To one who questioned the expediency of painting pictures as large as his, Haydon's only reply was that, if he had a room thirty feet long, he would have a canvas of the same size. Obstinate and self-willed he undoubtedly was, but by all it was admitted that his heart was as big as his artistic conceptions. Harassed, as he always was, by want of money, he never turned away from one in trouble. There are those who hold that suffering hardens, but I think it was acquaintance with grief that made poor Haydon feel as he did for the trials of others. "Safety first" was not the slogan of his days, but, all the same, prudent people must have dubbed him a fool to give away what he wanted worse than those to whom he gave it. God grant the world will never grow wise enough to make a Haydon impossible.

The year 1846 found Haydon's financial position desperate. Every expedient to raise money had been tried, and even borrowing sources were exhausted. The amount of debt continued to increase, and creditors began to threaten seriously. As a last resource, he resolved on an exhibition of his works at the Egyptian Hall. Saturday, the 4th April, 1846 was the private day, and four friends braved the heavy rain. It was a bad beginning. On Monday the receipts were £1 1s. 6d., which Haydon contrasts with £19 16s. 0d. paid on the opening day of an exhibition that he held twenty-six years before. Tom Thumb, the dwarf, was on view in an adjoining hall, and on Easter Monday, April 13th, the half-demented artist dashes this down on the pages of his "Diary": "They rush by thousands to see Tom Thumb. They push, they fight, they scream, they faint, they cry 'Help' and 'Murder,' and 'oh!' and 'ah!' They see my bills, my board, my caravans and don't read them. Their eyes are open, but their sense is shut. It is an insanity, a rabies, a madness, a *furor*, a dream. I would not have believed it of the English people."

A BITTER THOUGHT.

On the 21st April the entry is: "Tom Thumb had twelve thousand people last week; R. B. Haydon one hundred and thirty-three and a half—the half a little girl. Exquisite taste of the English people."

The exhibition closed on the 18th May, and, instead of bringing him any help, it involved him in a loss of £111 8s. 10d. Humiliated as he was by the thought that a freak of nature was a greater attraction that the works of his vivid imagination, he did not wholly lose courage, but actually went on painting and admiring his own skill. It was only for a few days. On the 18th June he sent away portraits of his children to save them from the sheriff. The entry for the 21st is brief: "Slept horribly. Prayed in sorrow. Got up in agitation." On the morning of Monday, 22nd June, he was early up and out. He returned about nine o'clock, and an hour later went into his painting-room. There, in front of an unfinished picture of "Alfred and the First British Jury," he shot himself. Poor Haydon!

ELIZABETHAN DRAMA IN DUBLIN.

PRODUCTION OF "THE SISTERS."

It is a pretty revenge that the sex which was debarred from the Elizabethan stage should in 1929 dominate the revival of a play by James Shirley. Not a solitary male was permitted to appear in the production of "The Sisters" by the Dublin University Elizabethan Dramatic Society at the St. Stephen's Parochial Hall, Northumberland road, Dublin, last night. The tables were turned, but not entirely to the advantage of the play.

The play itself was a simple moral tale, illustrating the advantages of humility. The humble sister wins her prince, while the proud one is thrust into the castle dungeon as an imposter.

"A placid and elegant talent," the late Sir Edmund Gosse called James Shirley. "The Sisters" suggests that he had more elegance than talent, but it was a pleasant entertainment, not sufficiently supported. "Without vehemence or thrill . . . with a mild monotony," Sir Edmund Gosse dismissed the dramatist who lived from 1596 to 1666. "Before Shakespeare had been a quarter of a century in his grave, Shirley was the only person left writing in England who could give to fiction in dialogue the very semblance of a work of art." It is as the last of a great line of dramatists that James Shirley is worthy of attention.

The D.U.E.D.S. production, which was directed by Mr. Frank Fay, was dignified, graceful, and beautifully coloured. The lines were spoken generally with a distinction that made Shirley's "placid elegance" very acceptable.

The chief honours must be given to Miss M. Neill, whose Piperollo was a delight. Miss J. McDonagh made a most attractive Vengerio, contrasting with Miss J. Law's dark Contarini to the advantage of both. In Miss M. O'Brien the proud Paulina found a perfect impersonator; and the humility of Angellina gave Miss E. Swanton the opportunity to make the best use of her pleasing voice. Antonio, the old uncle, could not have found more sympathetic interpretation than he had from Miss S. Dobbs.

The minor parts were all so capably filled that the ladies deserve to be complimented by a packed audience at to-night's performance. Special mention should be made of Miss S. Craig's rendering of her songs, particularly "On the Downs."

A Rainbow Bazaar in aid of the School Fund of St. James's Parish will be declared open to-day at 5 o'clock by Mr. John Garvey, O.B.E.

AN IRISHMAN'S DIARY.

Cyclists in Dublin : Rhododendrons at Howth : Leinster College of Irish. Bees at Carton : A Scottish Novelist : Tasmania's Governor. Little John : The R.D.S.

On ne Parle pas Francais.

The story is going the rounds in Dublin that a well-known citizen recently was visiting Paris with his wife. They were viewing the headgear displayed in a shop window in the Rue de la Paix. A superb confection was displayed there—the finest and doubtless most expensive hat in Paris—and it bore a ticket with the word, *Nouveauté*.

"What," Madame asked, "does that word mean?"

"It is the French for 'sold,' my dear," answered her husband.

The Cycling Clubs.

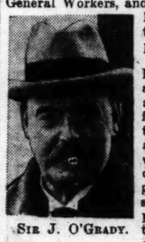
The cycling clubs have come back to life, and the wheel men and women are out and away with the appeal of the sunshine. I do not remember having seen so many cycling parties on the road as this year. The number of racing bicycles, too, is remarkable, and women are not behind on the racing wheels. I have met sometimes sixty and seventy members of these cycling clubs during the past few weeks, especially in County Wicklow, and it was good to see the enjoyment these young people were getting on their wheels.

A City on Wheels.

I think Dublin may be considered one of the wheel cities. If one passes through Harcourt street about lunch hour, the number of people travelling homewards on the South side is remarkable. I often wonder why these people return to their homes to dinner, but I have been told that in large families it is cheaper for the various members who are working in the city to enjoy the midday meal together. Hence the faithful bicycle and the one wheeled parade which we witness daily between one and two o'clock. This is one of the reasons why Dublin is among the few cities with a shortage of small cafés, such as are to be found elsewhere. Our capital is a home-lunching and, for that matter, a home-dining city. It is rarely indeed that a Dublin hostess would invite her guests to take dinner anywhere but in her home, unless compelled to remain in the city, or after a race meeting, when we usually find the principal restaurants in the city crowded. But, on the whole, Dublin is a home-dining corner of the world, and perhaps it is a distinction of which we may be proud.

Tasmania's Irish Governor.

Sir James O'Grady, K.C.M.G., whose term of office as Governor of Tasmania has been extended for one year, was formerly resident in Leeds, where he was Secretary of the National Federation of General Workers, and was one of the most highly respected of the large Irish population of Leeds. He was generally known to his friends as "Jim O'Grady," and he had the facility of securing the admiration of all classes with whom he came in contact. A man of great intellectual soundness, he took a prominent part in the Labour world and in the Labour Government.



SIR J. O'GRADY.

Sir James is a Roman Catholic, and it was during the *régime* of the British Labour Government that he was appointed to Tasmania. There were in some quarters a few misgivings on the appointment of a Labour man to such a post, but his tact and other sterling qualities have fully justified his selection, and his extension of office by the King is a definite proof of the approval of his services by the authorities.

A Heckler's Discomfiture.

What is likely to go down in the annals of electioneering retorts as a classic of its kind was the reply made to a heckler last week by Mr. Somerset Stopford Brooke. Mr. Stopford Brooke is the Liberal candidate for the Guildford Division, and in the course of an electioneering speech a heckler interrupted with the question: "Don't you think you are too young to go into Parliament?" To which Mr. Stopford Brooke, who is still in his early twenties, promptly replied: "Well, madam, I would rather go into Parliament in my first childhood than in my second."

Mr. Somerset Stopford Brooke is a relative of the famous Rev. Stopford A. Brooke, that eminent Irishman who disturbed religious thought in Britain about thirty years ago, who was one of the founders of the Irish Literary Society in London, and who collaborated with T. W. Rolleston in editing the deservedly-praised "Treasury of Irish Poetry in the English Tongue" for publication in 1900. His connection with Ireland is slight, but it is suggested in the retort to his heckler. As President of the Oxford Union, Mr. Somerset Stopford Brooke was a great success, and his adoption as a Liberal candidate in this General Election was a certainty. His retorts to hecklers have become so well known that crowds assemble merely to hear them. Another of his recent scores was when a drunken man interrupted to ask if it were not a public meeting. To which the candidate replied: "This is a public meeting, my friend—not a public-house."

Water and Cabbage for Bees.

It is not generally known that a certain amount of water is necessary for bees. It is very beneficial for them to have a lake or river somewhere near the hive, but it is almost a necessity to them to have a trough of water in its immediate neighbourhood. They will travel in a three-mile radius in search of the proper food, but, of course, it is an advantage to have this near, as it saves time, which, from the bees' point of view, is all-important.

The Carton bees live near fruit trees (whose blossoms help to make the honey sweet) and flowers, which are their principal food. Curiously enough, they feed on cabbage also, and this, too, grows near them at Carton. They like clover and heather, however, better than anything else. Heather honey is considered the best honey.

The bee-keeping industry, which at one time had died out altogether in Ireland, was revived in recent years, and the bees imported then and their descendants—for the span of the worker bee's life is only six weeks—are giving a plentiful supply of honey now. The thick meshed, dark veil and wide soft straw hat, which is part of the bee-keeper's costume, is so becoming a style for women that, on those grounds alone, many girls should become bee-keepers.

Honey at Carton.

Recently, at the Shell House, Carton, I saw a hive being opened for the first time and all the bees examined. I had always thought of this as a very dangerous operation that could only be performed by experts, and then when they were closely protected with veils and gloves.

The proprietress of the hives in the little garden, which is not far distant from the Shell House, handled the long wooden frames on which hundreds of thousands of bees clustered with ungloved hands and with the greatest skill and delicacy. She examined three thriving hives and only two bees were injured in the process.

The bees are protected through the winter with sawdust bags and rugs above the opening into the hive proper. When the bee-keeper removes the carbolic sheet which forms the last covering the frames covered with bees may be drawn out. The bees' industry, although one has heard of it since childhood, is almost incredible when one actually sees it.

In the modern hive there is no more smoking out and smothering as there was long ago. A smoking funnel is left at the side opening to drive the inhabitants down; there is a "Queen secluder" placed inside the hive to prevent the honey from becoming darkened by the darker honey of the "brood chamber," while the "Porter bee escape" is an ingenious invention whereby four bees at a time may go down into the hive, but cannot return when the honey is being taken.

Sometimes wax has to be cut away as useless. This, and waste scraps made on the frames, that are scraped off, can be boiled down with turpentine. It makes the best polish for floor or furniture—real bees' wax polish.

Rabbits and Rhododendrons.

The Howth rhododendrons are in specially good form this year, and they celebrate their full glory on next Sunday. They continue at their best for ten days. Many improvements have been made in Howth recently. A new path right through the plantation runs to the top, whence one of the most beautiful views in all County Dublin is to be had. One hundred and fifty "species" plants have been imported within the last few months from Asia Minor, the Himalayas and China for the garden. Every colour, except blue and black, is represented among them, and some of them are already bearing frail and beautiful blossoms. A rock garden has also been started. Rhododendrons are free from two great menaces of plant life and the *bêtes noirs* of gardeners—rabbits and goats. Neither rabbits nor goats will eat rhododendrons, for which the owners of the Howth rhododendrons are truly thankful; for many a goat, both will and stray, would be likely to descend across the rocky slopes of the plantation if it were not that rhododendrons and azaleas are not to his liking.

"Their Own Earth."

I was sceptical about rhododendrons "making their own earth" until I saw with my own eyes some they had made within the last few years, writes a correspondent. A couple of years ago a fire broke out on the rocks above the plantation proper, where many of the commoner sorts of rhododendrons grew—especially the "Ponticum" variety—the pink or purple type, which grows wild in some parts of Ireland. All these "Ponticums" were burned, and to-day the rocks are covered with rhododendrons again, which have seeded themselves and made their own earth by degrees.

Originally all the earth for the Howth plantation had to be brought in bags to the slope, which is now radiant with colour. The "Ponticum" is being gradually eliminated to give place to rarer rhododendrons.

American visitors ought to be specially delighted with Howth, as many of them will never have seen rhododendrons before—they do not grow in America. Although their "height" lasts but ten days in June, there are splendid blossoms to be seen there almost all the year round.

Rhododendrons are plants of very ancient date, and have been referred to by the classical writers, Pliny and Discorides. They were introduced into Ireland in 1763.

In the library of Howth Castle every number of the celebrated "Botanical Magazine" by Curtis is to be seen. It has been "taken" regularly by the family since the first number in 1803. There are interesting references in this standard botanical series to rhododendrons. The Howth rhododendrons date seventy years back.

A Scottish Novelist.

I have been reading with great interest some of the novels of O. Douglas—"Eliza for Common," which was reviewed very favourably in the *Irish Times* when it appeared last year; "Pink Sugar," "Penny Plain," and "The Setons." The author's command of racy Lowland speech gives these books their charm, and fills them with amusement. O. Douglas, moreover, draws people that one would like to meet—decent, mettled, witty folk. I learn that O. Douglas is only a pen-name, and O. Douglas really is Miss Anna Buchan, a sister of Mr. John Buchan.

"O. DOUGLAS."

The Scots and Ulster.

A recent correspondence in the *Irish Times* on the dialect of Ulster makes O. Douglas's diction doubly interesting; for it brings home the similarity between Lowland Scots and Northern Irish speech. "She had both her manners and her mense," is a saying of one of O. Douglas's characters that is often paralleled in Ulster, where I have heard again and again: "He'd have both his meat and his mense"—mense being the Scottish and Ulster word for table. Again, "There's little sap amang the shavin's" is a saying one might hear in Ulster any day, and have we not all heard that "God sends the guid food, but the de'il sends the cooks"?

I am told that we may not expect another book from O. Douglas this year, although she is completing a novel to be called "The Day of Small Things," which Messrs. Hodder and Stoughton will publish next year. Several of O. Douglas's books have run into upwards of twenty impressions in a couple of years.

"An 'Oss an' Car."

A shorthand-writer friend of mine told me of a humorous note-taking experience she once had. An irascible gentleman used to visit her occasionally to get correspondence done. His was not the silvery speech of rhetoric, but a guttural, spasmodic utterance, very difficult to follow. One day he was writing to a friend telling him about all the losses he had suffered during the dark days in Ireland; amongst other things he mentioned "an 'oss an' car" being stolen. My friend strained her ears in the hope that some following word would give a clue to his meaning, but none came. The dictation ended, he asked her to read the letter over; she read on till she came to the fatal 'oss and car—and then hesitated: "An Austin car," said the voice beside her, and the situation was saved!

Little John's Shot.

It is not, perhaps, unexpectedly that to the ears of the children of to-day the tales of the men in Lincoln green, Robin Hood, Little John, together with Friar Tuck, come a trifle strangely. About those names clustered much old English folk lore, and the deeds of many men spread over much time and done for the defence of Saxon rights against the Norman invader. Of such lore, personalities and deeds our own annals supply enough to satisfy the most avid appetites of youth. One of the band, however, did make his way to Dublin, perhaps in fact, perhaps on English lips alone. The story goes that the outlaw fled in disguise to our city and was in hiding when an archery tournament was cried to be held at the bridge at Merchant's quay, where was the old hurdle ford. He could not resist the temptation; took part in the rivalry, and gained the victory by discharging an arrow which fell almost a mile away in Oxmantown Green. This nearly cost him his life. Disgruntled competitors eyed him with narrow eyes of jealousy, and soon it was noised about that such a string could have been drawn by but one man, Little John. The outlaw fled his lodgings in the nick of time, and, if he really was John, made back safe to England; for we are told that "Little John, stiff in his giant limbs, sleeps on till dawn amid the Derby Hills," and so left the boys of to-day to wait upon the stories of Standish O'Grady.

The Leinster College.

Since the appointment of Mr. E. O'Toole to the Chair of Irish in Trinity College, Dublin, he has resigned the principalship of the Leinster College of Irish, which he held for many years, and his place has been taken by Mr. Brian Fitzpatrick, Headmaster of the Central Model School, Dublin, who may be trusted to uphold Mr. O'Toole's high standards of industry and good scholarship. Mr. Fitzpatrick will be assisted by Mr. James O'Sharkey, who is surrendering a lecturership in Queen's University, Belfast, to come to Dublin.

MR. BRIAN FITZPATRICK.

Mr. O'Sharkey is a native of The Rosses, and is well known to all who have visited the Irish Summer College at Cloghaneely. He published, just three years ago, a learned work on the phonetics of Ulster Gaelic, which was printed in Germany. In this he recorded, in phonetic type, specimens of the diction of Gaelic speakers in Donegal, Tyrone, Armagh, Louth, Monaghan, Cavan, Antrim and Rathlin. In the accompanying commentary he traced the philological reason for the peculiar variations, and went back a thousand years for some of his evidence.

The R. D. S.

Passing recently through the members' hall of the Royal Dublin Society's building at Ballsbridge, I was interested to see the plaster casts of some of Foley's beautiful statues, placed there on "permanent loan" from the National Museum. They have at last found a resting place after various vicissitudes which reflected very ill on the gratitude of Ireland to one of her most illustrious sons. Shortly before his death the sculptor bequeathed these casts to Dublin (the originals being scattered throughout the public halls and galleries of Great Britain), "in the proud desire," says Mr. Teniswood, his friend and executor, "of forming a gallery of his productions in his native city, and within the walls of that institution to which he was indebted for his first art teachings," namely, the art schools of the Royal Dublin Society.

Dublin's Loss.

Dublin, however, showed that strange reluctance to accept this priceless legacy which was likewise displayed in the case of the Lane bequest. The Royal Dublin Society said they had no space, the Corporation refused to take charge of any of the models, the guardians of the National Gallery made no effort to secure the statues, and the public showed complete apathy in the matter. At length, after about five years, some of the groups suddenly appeared in the hall of Leinster House, having been repaired, packed, and dispatched by the Science and Art Department, London. Later, some more of the works were acquired and placed in the Round Room of the Mansion House. How different was the attitude shown to Thorwaldsen who was greeted with the pomp of a king on his return to Denmark from Rome, and whose works are placed in a magnificent museum. But Dublin seems to make a habit of "looking gift-horses in the mouth."

A Rathdonnell Portrait.

Another interesting work of art which hangs at present in the Council Chamber of the premises at Allsbridge is the portrait of the late Lord Rathdonnell by Oswald Birley, which was especially commissioned by the Royal Dublin Society and formally presented as a mark of the esteem in which the late President of the Council was held, and as a recognition of his services to the society. I have heard some comment on the fact that an Irish artist was not chosen to paint the portrait, but Mr. Birley was one of the most notable exhibitors at this year's Royal Academy for his portrait of King George V. and for that of the King of Siam. The latter is interesting because the Siamese king is regarded as sacred by his subjects, and the remarkable painting which shows the Eastern monarch in his stiff robes, glittering with jewels of state, was actually executed after only one sitting.

QUIDNUNC.

LIMERICK BARRACKS TO BE RE-NAMED.

The military barracks in Limerick known as the New Barracks, are on Sunday next to be renamed the Sarsfield Barracks. After an open-air Mass, at which Command Chaplain the Rev. E. R. McCarthy will officiate, a mural tablet at the principal entrance to the barracks, bearing the name by which they will henceforth be known, will be unveiled.

The troops of the garrison will take part in the ceremony.

COLONEL FITZMAURICE, D.F.C.

Colonel J. C. Fitzmaurice, D.F.C., has arrived at Dessau, near Berlin, where the great Junker's Works are situated. He is accompanied by Mrs. Fitzmaurice.

IN THE NORTHERN CAPITAL.

The New Speaker : A Popular Appointment : Signs of the Times : The Shipyard Strike : Acute Distress still in Belfast.

FROM A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Thursday.

A FORTNIGHT ago it was suggested in this column that the Prince of Wales would probably visit Belfast for the purpose of opening the new parliamentary buildings at Stormont, and it is, therefore, interesting to draw attention to Lord Craigavon's statement in the House of Commons yesterday that there is every likelihood of the opening ceremony being performed by the King, or, if not by His Majesty, by some member of the Royal Family. The visits of Royalty to the North are always cordially welcomed, and the entrance of the Northern legislators into their new home will be an event of historic importance worthy of the highest honour. The Premier was also happy in his references to contemplated measures during the coming sessions, and his promise to carry through the scheme for the drainage of the River Bann will give pleasure to the residents in the flooded and saturated areas of the historic valley.

Having reviewed the various measures proposed to be introduced, Lord Craigavon said that nothing whatever would stay him or interfere with him in the efforts he was making for progress. He wanted, he added, Ulster to be in the very forefront of the Empire as the most up-to-date, live and progressive part, and he and his colleagues would do everything possible to attain that end. Such a laudable ambition will commend itself to all sections of the community, and one of the first steps towards realising it should be in the direction of providing schemes for the relief of unemployment. It is poor consolation to the workless to be talking of bright spots while the black clouds of depression and destitution hang over the industrial areas of the province. Nevertheless, everyone will wish Lord Craigavon success in his efforts to find a solution for a difficult problem.

THE NEW SPEAKER.

The appointment of the Hon. Harry Mulholland, as Speaker of the Northern House of Commons, has given general satisfaction throughout the Six Counties. He enjoys the confidence of all sections of the House, and it is felt that he will maintain the high traditions set by his distinguished predecessor. In the *Irish Times* of 10th inst. it was suggested in this column that Mr. Mulholland would be the next Speaker, as he was popular with all parties, and that, although he had not the experience of custom and tradition required for such a post, it would be more pleasant if the election were unanimous instead of dividing the House on the candidature of some other member.

Subsequently it was freely stated that Mr. Moles, the Deputy-Speaker, would be promoted to the premier position because of his exceptionally wide knowledge of parliamentary procedure, and it was an "open secret" that he was to be appointed. As a matter of fact, Mr. Moles was invited by the Government to succeed the ex-Speaker in the office, but for business and personal reasons he intimated that, while he much appreciated the high honour which the request implied, he did not desire to be a candidate for the appointment. He was, however, elected as Deputy-Speaker and Chairman of Ways and Means, and the House will still have the benefit of his guidance in any difficult point that may arise. The dignity of the House of Commons will be safe in the keeping of Mr. Mulholland and Mr. Moles, and all will join in wishing them a pleasant term of office.

INFLUENCE OF TRINITY COLLEGE.

In these days when so much is said about unity, for and against, it is interesting to read of the first annual meeting of the Trinity College Association, which was held in Dublin at the beginning of the week. There is quite a flourishing Trinity Association in Belfast, and it is pleasant to notice that a tribute was paid to Mr. Herbert Jefferson, of this city, for his successful efforts in that connection. The fact that about forty local secretaries have been appointed in various parts of the world shows that Irishmen all over the globe cherish their association with their old University and still cling to its traditions. It reveals, further, a spirit of comradeship and a unity of purpose which distance cannot quench, all taking pride in Ireland's premier seat of learning and watching its progress. Some notable northern personages have been elected to the general committee of the Association, including Lord Chief Justice Moore, Lord Justice Andrews, Colonel the Right Hon. R. G. Sharman-Crawford, Mr. Babington (Attorney-General), together with quite a number of others; and these appointments should do much to bring together the learned professions on both sides of the border in the bonds of amity and unity, all working for the good of the country in general.

Another happy sign of the times may be found in the gathering of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church, which commences its deliberations in Dublin on Monday night next. The event is almost unique in the history of Irish Presbyterianism, and hundreds of Ulstermen will travel South to take part in the proceedings.

STRIKE IN THE SHIPYARDS.

The strike of the Belfast shipyard joiners for an increase of wages has affected about three thousand men, and, unless an early settlement is made, the number will become much greater. For many years past the city has been free from industrial troubles of this nature, and it seems regrettable that, when prosperity has returned after a long period of depression, work should be held up in this way. Fears are expressed that shipbuilding orders may be transferred to cross-Channel firms if the strike continues; but, so far as can be gathered, an amicable arrangement is as distant as it was several weeks ago, and workmen connected with the finishing trades, the electrical department and the "black squad," together with some of the time-keepers, are being paid off as soon as the particular work on which they are engaged is completed. It is stated that the members of the trade unions generally are not in favour of the strike, as it may injure the prospects of the yards, and accentuate the prevailing depression. A couple of days ago the Minister of Labour used his good offices to effect a compromise, and considered the problem with a sub-committee of the Belfast District of the Amalgamated Society of Woodworkers, but so far without any satisfactory results.

The matter in dispute is not very considerable, and it is essential that the difference between employers and employed should be composed without delay and work re-commenced, or it may be that another long spell of idleness will fall upon the Lagan shipyards. It is difficult to get orders, but it is easy to chase them away, and industrial troubles shake the confidence of those who require ships to be built. The Government has done much to promote prosperity in the local yards by attracting orders through the Loans Guarantee Act, as well as by personal influence, and one can only hope that its efforts will not be rendered unavailing. In the meantime it is satisfactory to note that the Prime Minister intimated in Parliament yesterday that he expected good news for one of our shipyards, through which unemployment would be considerably relieved.

THE WORKLESS ARMY.

There is still acute distress in Belfast, and anything that tends to worsen the situation must be deprecated. From time to time there is talk of new industries springing up, and that is well; but the general outlook will not be brightened if the old industries are to be injured. The recent discussions on poverty and suffering in the city must yet be fresh in the minds of most people, and the public conscience was shocked by the disclosures which were made. That state of affairs is still troubling the authorities, and the Special Distress Committee, of which Lord Justice Andrews is President, has issued another appeal for subscriptions to relieve urgent cases.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee this week it was stated that the total number of families assisted so far was 279, and during the past fortnight seventy-four further applications for assistance were received. The subscriptions already received amount to £1,694 odd, but this is insufficient if the work of relief is to be carried on, about half that sum having already been expended. It must be remembered that the Committee deals principally with special cases after close investigation, and many applicants are referred to other agencies for help. Probably distress in the back streets and in slumland during the spring and summer months does not appeal to the imagination so much as it does in winter; but it is there all the same, and it is good to have Lord Justice Andrews's Committee, composed, as it is, of prominent citizens, guarding the interests of the poor and workless. It is to be hoped that there will be a generous response to their appeal for funds.

BLOW TO LOCAL OPTION.

Local option has received a severe blow in the Northern Province by the results of the recent parliamentary elections, and, in the opinion of most people, it is dead; but temperance reforms will still progress along reasonable lines. The extremists were well-intentioned, but their methods did not commend themselves to the vast majority of the electorate, and the verdict was decisive. Advocates of far-reaching restrictive measures, however, have not accepted their defeat as final, and still express hopes for their cause while predicting all sorts of evils unless the liquor traffic is extinguished. The Rev. T. M. Johnstone, the apostle of total abstinence, declared a couple of nights ago that in consequence of what happened the people have let themselves in for five more years of unemployment, for five more years of continuous emigration of their sons and daughters, for the continuation of empty mills and warehouses, and for everything that was demoralising and ruining their country from an economic point of view. That, he added, would be the result of voting for the Government, and he urged the electorate to vote to-day for the local optionist candidate to represent North Belfast in the Imperial Parliament.

THE BALMORAL SHOW.

The Royal Ulster Agricultural Society's Show, which was opened yesterday at Balmoral, on the outskirts of Belfast, promises to be one of the most successful in the long history of that organisation. It has not the status of the great national event at Ballsbridge, but it is becoming a formidable rival to the Southern fixture in many ways, and, as it receives entries from the Free State and from across the Channel, it is considered to be an international institution in a minor form.

The experts point out that in some of the classes the standard was even higher than in Dublin, notably in the shorthorns, which received the warm praise of the judges. The weather was ideal, and the picturesque grounds with their wide open spaces appeared at their best. The entries were much the same as for last year, an advance being made in the principal departments, while there was a falling off in some of the minor sections. A number of the prizes went south of the border, but this year the Free State entries were not numerous.

BROADCASTING.

TO-DAY.

DUBLIN (2RN)—411 Metres.

1.30-2.0 p.m.—Weather Forecast and Gramaphone Concert. 6.0—Gramaphone Concert. 6.15—Uair i dTir Na n-Og: Muiris O Catain, Kitty Fagan, Sally Willow. 7.0—Gramaphone Concert. 7.30—Gardening: G. O. Sherrard. 7.45—Welsh Lesson: Prof. L. Jones. 8.0—Monologues: Jack O'Sheehan: "O'Brien's Escape" (L. Sheridan Le Fanu), "The Showman" (C. Clarke) (Reynolds). 8.15—Opera. "The Rose of Castile" (Balfe): Percy Pilsbury (tenor), Hilda Roberts (soprano), William Lenass (baritone), Sean O'Carroll (tenor), T. J. Bevan (baritone), P. L. McCann, Joan Burke (contralto), Mrs. Lucy Doyle (soprano); Station Orchestra and Opera Chorus (conductor, Vincent O'Brien). 10.30—Weather Forecast and Close Down.

BELFAST (2BE)—302.7 Metres (991 Kc.).

12.0—Organ Recital by Herbert Westerby: Allegro from Sonata in E Minor (James H. Rogers), A Southern Fantasy (Hawke), Toid by the Camp Fire (Hugo Goodwin), The Jugglers (from Sonata, "A Pageant for the Organ") (Prof. Jepson of Yale). Nuptial Song (Alex. Matthews). 12.30-1.0—Musical Comedy: The Radio Quartet: Selections: "Peggy Ann" (Rodgers), "Irene" (Tierney), "Oh, Kay" (Gershwin). 2.30—London Programme relayed from Daventry. 4.15—Dance Music: Sibbald Treacey's Syncopated Four. 5.0—A Violin Recital by Albert Fitzgerald: Caprice Viennoise (Viennese Caprice) (Kreisler), Imagination (Zacharewitsch), Le Tourbillon (The Whirlwind) (De Beriot). 5.15—The Children's Hour. 6.0—"The Washing of Blankets and Woollens," by Miss Helen Grieg Souter. 6.15—S.B. from London. 8.0—When Queen's Island was Dargan's: A Retrospect by Richard Hayward and Clifford Carter. 9.0-11.15—S.B. from London.

LONDON (2LO)—358 Metres (838 Kc.) **and DAVENTRY (5XX)—1,562.5 Metres** (192 Kc.).

10.15 a.m.—The Daily Service. 10.30—Time Signal, Greenwich; Weather Forecast. 10.45—"Menus and Recipes: Fruit Creams." 11.0—Gramaphone Records. 12.0—A Sonata Recital. 12.30—Organ Recital. 1.0-2.0—Lunch-Time Music. 2.30—Broadcast to Schools. 4.15—Frank Westfield's Orchestra. 5.15—The Children's Hour. 6.0—Miss Helen Grieg Souter: "The Washing of Blankets and

YESTERDAY IN DAIL EIREANN.

THE SECRECY OF THE JURY PANEL.

DEFEAT OF THE OPPOSITION AMENDMENTS.

RIGHTS OF PRESS REPRESENTATIVES AT TRIALS.

The Juries (Protection) Bill passed through Committee in Dail Eireann yesterday, the House sitting until 11 p.m. to dispose of this stage.

A Fianna Fail front bencher, Mr. Ruttledge, moved a series of amendments, the object of which was to reveal the identity of jurors in certain circumstances. All these amendments were defeated.

An amendment by the leader of the Labour Party, providing that majority verdicts should not apply to crimes of which the penalty was death, was lost also.

The House agreed to a Government amendment describing a "Press representative" as a person regularly engaged in journalism, and accredited by the editor of a *bona fide* newspaper published not less than once a week.

Fianna Fail opposed, but Labour supported, a Government amendment giving power to a judge to exclude from court representatives of papers which might have recently published matter calculated to intimidate jurors or witnesses. The amendment was carried by 83 votes to 44.

Another Government amendment, providing for the exclusion of Press representatives known to be, or suspected of being, concerned in the campaign against jurors or witnesses, was carried by 80 votes to 44, Labour again supporting the Government.

OPPOSITION STRING OF AMENDMENTS.

EFFORTS TO REVEAL THE IDENTITY OF JURORS.

The debate was resumed on the Committee Stage of the Juries (Protection) Bill, 1929.

Mr. RUTTLEDGE (F.F., Mayo N.) moved the addition of a sub-section to Section 3, entitling every accused person or his solicitor to a copy of the panel of jurors from which it was intended that the jury for his trial is to be drawn. The amendment, he said, was simply intended to enable prisoners to know who were to try them.

Mr. O'CONNELL (Lab., Mayo S.) supported the amendment.

Mr. FITZGERALD-KENNEY, Minister for Justice, said that it was false to suggest that the State was out to secure convictions at any cost. He pointed out that in England an accused person had not the right to see the jury panel, and so far as the prisoner's right of challenge was concerned, it was absolutely unimpaired under the Bill. In the case of the trial of a member of the murderous association responsible for recent outrages, all he had to do was to take a copy of the panel and circulate it, and have each person on it marked for assassination.

Mr. FLINN (F.F., Cork Borough) declared that the Bill would give no protection to jurors, but would actually increase their danger. He added that he knew personally a case where a head of the secret service on one side had as his secretary the wife of a secret service agent on the other side.

The amendment was lost by 64 votes to 54.

Mr. RUTTLEDGE proposed a further amendment providing that every accused person would be entitled to apply to any judge of the High Court or Supreme Court for and obtain from him an order directed to the summoning officer to supply him or his solicitor with a copy of the panel of jurors.

Mr. FITZGERALD-KENNEY, in opposing the amendment, said that there was no certainty that if the course suggested were adopted there would not be publicity. The panel would have to pass through several hands.

The amendment was defeated by 67 votes to 50.

The motion that Section 3 stand part of the Bill was carried by 70 votes to 50.

On Section 4, which deals with the exclusion of the public during the calling of the jury panel,

The House rejected, by 69 votes to 54, an amendment by Mr. RUTTLEDGE that the provisions of the section should not apply to the sittings of the Central Criminal Court, unless any two judges of the High Court, on the application of the Attorney-General, were satisfied that sufficient cause existed for their application.

Another amendment by Mr. RUTTLEDGE to secure that the accused's solicitor or counsel should be present and be afforded opportunity of verifying the identity of each juror was defeated by 69 votes to 51.

ADMISSION TO THE COURT.

A further amendment by Mr. RUTTLEDGE was to the effect that at the calling of the panel, solicitors, counsel, members of the Oireachtas, and representatives of the Press might be present. He asked did the Minister accept it that solicitors were officers of the court. It was only reasonable that members of the Oireachtas and the Press, he urged should be present at the proceedings.

Mr. FITZGERALD-KENNEY said that under the section which was framed to deal with the exclusion of the public during the calling of the panel he had no doubt that solicitors were not officers of the court. The officials of the court, in his opinion, were sufficient to be present during the formalities.

Mr. FAHY (F.F., Galway) said that the Minister's attitude showed a lack of confidence in the legal profession. He did not believe either that the Minister genuinely meant to stand over excluding members of the Oireachtas. The presence of the Press would retain public confidence and be a restricting influence on the packing of juries.

Mr. FITZGERALD-KENNEY said that the section simply dealt with the calling of the Long Panel and not with the empannelling of the trial jury.

The amendment was defeated by 68 votes to 49.

Mr. RUTTLEDGE proposed the addition of the words at the end of paragraph (d) providing "that the prisoner or his solicitor or counsel shall be entitled to call for and obtain the name, address and occupation of any juror about to be sworn for the purpose of enabling him to exercise his right of challenge."

Mr. FITZGERALD-KENNEY said that the object of the Bill would be defeated if this amendment was carried.

Mr. FAHY declared that the Minister would not effect his purpose by that Bill.

Mr. DAVIN (Labour, Leix-Offaly) said that in spite of this so-called protective clause jurymen would be found out by the people engaged in the conspiracy. He believed that the effect of the Bill would be to frighten jurymen.

The amendment was defeated and the section carried by 71 votes to 53.

THE DEATH PENALTY.

Mr. O'CONNELL (Labour, Mayo, S.), moved an amendment to Section 5, the object of which was that majority verdicts should not apply to crimes for which the penalty was death. The Minister knew, he said—they all knew that there were cases of miscarriage of justice. They had the Slater case in England, where it was found out years after that he was not guilty of murder, and he was released and compensated. In the majority of murder cases there was no direct evidence, and, therefore, conviction was on circumstantial evidence, and in cases of that kind, where three men had a reasonable doubt as to whether the chain of evidence was sufficiently strong, he said that the State should not record a verdict of guilty.

Mr. LEMASS (F.F., Dublin, S.), in supporting the amendment, said that he wished it to be clearly understood that, whether the amendment was passed or not, the Fianna Fail Party would oppose this section.

Mr. FITZGERALD-KENNEY said that he could not accept the amendment. He agreed with Deputy O'Connell that twelve jurymen were more likely to be right than nine jurymen. He pointed out, however, that the English law was the only one requiring a unanimous verdict. If they could get nine men to agree that a prisoner brought before the court was guilty, that should be sufficient, seeing that they had the Court of Criminal Appeal. In such cases it would not be known what jurors had given a verdict; but at present when a verdict was given every member of the jury might be an object of vengeance. He did not think there should be any exemption from the rule on the capital charge.

MR. BLYTHE'S VIEWS.

Mr. BLYTHE, Minister for Finance, said that they had actually the principle of majority verdict in operation at present, but in a different way. It operated now by putting men on trial again and again. Generally a prisoner was not put on trial more than three times, but cases had been known where he had been on trial oftener. It was a well-established principle that a man might be convicted, although a certain number of the jurors who tried him were not prepared to bring in a verdict of guilty. In seting up majority verdict they were not departing so far from the root principle of the present law as the Opposition made out.

The fact could not be overlooked that the likelihood of the capital punishment being carried out on an innocent man was so slight as to make it almost impossible. They had in the first place the well-known reluctance of a jury to convict in such cases without the most complete and satisfactory evidence. Then they had the Courts of Criminal Appeal and afterwards, when the jury had returned a verdict of guilty, the Executive Council carefully considered all the facts and the judge was asked to make any additional comments and to say if he saw any reason for entertaining the slightest doubt about the verdict of the jury, or any other circumstances that would justify the exercise of the prerogative of mercy.

THE BETTER SYSTEM.

Dr. O'HIGGINS (Govt., Dublin, N.) said that they were all agreed that it was a serious thing that an innocent man should be condemned to death, but it was an equally serious thing that a murderer should walk the streets in order to commit further murder. He thought the system proposed of accepting a verdict of a majority of nine was a better system than that at present prevailing, because now one juryman who could be influenced would prevent the bringing in of an honest verdict, whereas in the new system four jurors would have to be influenced.

Mr. ANTHONY (Lab., Cork Boro.) expressed surprise that the Minister for Justice had never considered emulating the practice they had in Scotland of bringing in a third verdict—namely, "not proven." If the present bill were amended so as to include such a clause he was convinced that it would relieve a good deal of intimidation which he believed existed in Dublin.

Mr. RUTTLEDGE said that such a provision should be introduced not in the Juries Protection Bill, but as amendment to the Criminal Law. Supposing a verdict was brought in by a majority of nine, and that there was a local or national feeling that the person was wrongly convicted, did not every deputy know that the three jurymen who were in the minority would go round and advertise the fact that they had not agreed with the verdict?

OPPOSITION MOVES CLOSURE.

Mr. O'CONNELL said that he had not the slightest doubt that, in all these cases of majority verdicts, the jurors who had convicted would very soon be known.

Mr. FITZGERALD-KENNEY was rising at 8.43 p.m. to reply when

Mr. MacENTEE (F.F., Dublin County) moved "that the question be now put."

The SPEAKER accepted the motion, and on putting it declared it carried.

President COSGRAVE challenged a division.

No tellers were nominated for the motion, which was declared lost by the Speaker.

The motions that Section 5 and 6 stand part of the bill were put and carried by 73 votes to 55 in each case.

"PRESS REPRESENTATIVES."

Mr. FITZGERALD-KINNEY moved an amendment to Section 7, which was agreed to when put from the Chair, to the effect that a "Press representative," for the purposes of the bill should be a person who was regularly engaged or employed in journalism and accredited by the editor of a *bona-fide* newspaper published not less than once a week.

A further Government amendment, giving power to the judge, on evidence by production of the papers concerned, to exclude from the Court representatives of papers which, in the opinion of the Judge, contained in recent issues matter calculated to intimidate jurors or witnesses, was objected to by Fianna Fail, but on a division was carried by 83 votes to 44. Labour voted with the Government.

The sub-section giving power, when an order is made to clear the Court, to eject a person claiming the right to remain as a Press representative, if such person was known or suspected of being concerned in acts of intimidation of jurors or witnesses, or acts of a treasonable character, or was known generally to associate with such persons, was also challenged by Fianna Fail, and carried, on a division, by 80 votes to 44, Labour again supporting the Government.

Section 7, as amended, was then carried by 51 votes to 32

Sections 8 to 12, inclusive, were then put by the Deputy Speaker, and were carried—a division being challenged on each. An amendment to Section 13, that the Act continue in force until 31st December, 1931, was also carried on a division, and the section, as amended, was similarly passed.

At 11 o'clock the Committee Stage was concluded, and the House adjourned until 10.30 a.m. to-day.

QUESTIONS IN THE DAIL.

BILL TO DEAL WITH MINES AND MINERALS.

In Dail Eireann yesterday,

Replying to Mr. O'CONNELL (Labour, Mayo S.), Mr. McGILLIGAN, Minister for Industry and Commerce, said that a bill dealing with mines and minerals was in course of preparation. The subject was complicated, and one which required much consideration; but he was making every effort to have the bill ready for introduction before the end of the session.

SEINE NET FISHING.

Mr. BLANEY (Fianna Fail, Donegal) asked the Minister for Lands and Fisheries if he was aware of the hardships caused to the Donegal fishermen by the continuous practice of Seine net fishing carried out by the Scotch steam drifters in Downings Bay and along the Donegal coast, and if he would state if any steps were being taken by his department to deal with the matter.

Mr. FIONAN LYNCH, in reply, said that reports had been received regarding the operations of two or three steam drifters which were using the Danish Seine net in Lough Swilly and Sheephaven Bay. No restriction had ever been placed upon this form of fishing on the Donegal coast. The question of imposing such restriction was at present under consideration.

PRIMARY SCHOOLS.

In reply to Dr. WARD (Fianna Fail, Monaghan), Professor O'SULLIVAN, Minister for Education, said that the total number of primary schools in the Saorstat was 5,555. They were attended by 516,666 pupils.

NEW TYRONE MAGISTRATES.

The following have been appointed magistrates for County Tyrone:—Dr. William Stevenson, Main street, Strabane; Dr. David Gaussen, Mullantean, Stewartstown; Mr. Hugh F. Jones, Main street, Fintona; Mr. Henry A. Pringle, Moor Farm, Ballygawley; Mr. James T. Jamison, Campsie avenue, Omagh; Mr. James F. Gamble, Bridgehill, Castlederg; Colonel Ambrose Upton Gledstanes, Fardross, Clogher; Mr. James Campbell, Knocknamoe, Omagh; Mr. Harold W. Britton, Lockpatrick, Strabane; Mr. J. Moore Williamson, Castlecaulfield; Mr. James Rafferty, Carrickmore; Mr. John Perry, Strabane.

KANT'S THEORY OF ETHICS.

DONNELLAN LECTURE AT TRINITY COLLEGE.

NATURE OF RIGHT AND WRONG.

At the last of the Donnellan Lectures given by Dr. C. E. Broad in the Graduates' Memorial Building, Trinity College, yesterday, the lecturer dealt with Hume's analysis of ethical characteristics, and queried whether the philosopher is right in holding that all general rules about what is good and bad can, and must be established by observation and empirical generalisation. Hume discusses this question in the form, "What are the respective functions of reason and feeling in ethical matters." Unfortunately, he never explicitly says what he means by reason, and he seems to use that highly ambiguous word in an unduly narrow sense.

On this vitally important point, the lecturer said, Hume has neither proved his own case, nor refuted that of his opponents. It remains possible that he is right and they are wrong. One of the consequences of the view he holds is that every dispute on questions of right and wrong is capable of being settled completely by the simple method of collecting statistics. The lecturer held that this solution was irrelevant to such a question.

Kant's theory of ethics, Dr. Broad proceeded, differs from Spinosa's and Hume's far more radically than these differ from each other. For Spinosa and Hume the notions of good and evil are primary, those of right and wrong are derived from them, whilst that of duty or obligation is barely mentioned. A right action or intention is simply one that leads to a good result. For Kant, the notion of duty and obligation and the notions of right and wrong are fundamental. Another fundamental difference between Kant and Hume, at any rate, is that ethics for Hume is concerned simply with mankind. Kant, on the other hand, holds that the fundamental laws of morality are the same for every rational being, whether man, angel or God. Both Kant and Spinosa, in very different ways, thought that the double nature of man, as being partly instinctive and partly rational, was of vital importance in human ethics.

THE FALLACY.

Kant held that nothing is intrinsically good but a good will, trying to prove this by taking other alleged intrinsic goods and showing that each may be worthless or positively evil when not combined with a good will. This argument is fallacious. If we accept the alleged facts, they prove only that a good will is a necessary constituent of any will which is intrinsically good. It does not follow that a good will has itself any intrinsic value. A good will, Kant held, is one that habitually wills rightly, and the rightness or wrongness of a volition depends wholly on the nature of its motive, not on its actual consequences, or on its intended consequences, except in so far as the expectation of these forms part of the motive.

The next question that arises, therefore, is—What is the criterion of rightness of motive? Kant holds that an action cannot be right unless it is done on some general principle which the agent accepts. He divides maxims of conduct into two classes—hypothetical and categorical imperatives. A hypothetical imperative is a principle of conduct which is accepted, not on its own merits, but as a rule for gaining some desired end. A categorical imperative would be one that is accepted on its own merits. Kant's theory is that an action is right if, and only if, it is done on a principle which is a categorical imperative. The characteristics of a principle of conduct, to be accepted on its own merits by every rational being, must be a certain characteristic form, not anything characteristic in its content.

At the conclusion of the lecture Dr. E. J. Gwynn, Provost, thanked Dr. Broad for his series of lectures, which had been followed with close attention.

THE BANK OF IRELAND.

SAFEGUARDS AGAINST FOREIGN CONTROL.

The Special Joint Committee of the Oireachtas set up to deal with the private bill promoted by the Governors of the Bank of Ireland sat again yesterday morning. Mr. D. Morrissey, Deputy Speaker of the Dail, presided, and the members of Committee present were:—Messrs. W. Davin, T.D., M. MacDonagh, T.D., F. F. O'Hanlon, T.D., and Senators J. Moran and M. F. O'Hanlon.

Mr. A. Dickie, K.C., and Mr. T. G. Marnan (instructed by Mr. Rutherford) appeared for the promoters of the bill. There was no opposition.

Mr. Dickie said that the promoters, with a view to meet the wish of the Committee to secure that the control of the Bank of Ireland could not at any future date pass to any bank or corporation outside the Free State, had agreed to the insertion of the following amendment:—"No banking company registered outside Saorstat Eireann or banking corporation carrying on its principal business outside Saorstat Eireann shall be qualified to vote or be capable of voting at any general court or otherwise in any matter relating to the affairs or government of the bank."

The promoters also proposed the insertion of a new clause as follows:—

"The members of the bank duly assembled in a general court may from time to time by resolution reduce or increase as they think fit the numbers of directors (exclusive of the governor and the deputy governor) of the bank and fix the amount of capital stock of the bank which must be held as their qualification by the governor, deputy governor and directors respectively, and may from time to time fix the quorum of directors necessary for the transaction of business, provided that the governor and the deputy governor and at least three-fourths of the directors shall be domiciled and resident in Saorstat Eireann."

Mr. Dickie said that the acceptance of the amendments and their insertion in the bill would mean that no matter what amount of stock a foreign bank or corporation acquired it could not vote at any meeting of the bank, and so it could never get any control. The amendments got rid of any danger of an English, Scottish or foreign bank attempting to get control of the Bank of Ireland.

The amendments were agreed to and the Committee concluded its business.

TRAINING SCHOONER'S DUBLIN VISIT.

PLANS TO ENTERTAIN BOYS.

At yesterday's meeting of the Dublin Port and Docks Board, Mr. P. J. Lawrence (Chairman) presiding, a letter was read from Lieutenant H. H. Heather, Commander of the training schooner Maise Graham, stating that the schooner, with a number of cadets on board, was due to arrive in Dublin on June 20, and thanking the Board for their kindness in offering to receive and entertain the boys on their arrival.

A TIMELY WARNING.

DANGER OF CLIMBING ELECTRICAL POLES.

The Free State Electricity Supply Board publish in our columns to-day a warning which, it is hoped, will receive the attention it deserves. The warning points out that it is highly dangerous to climb electrical transmission lines, poles and masts which have been erected at various points in connection with the Shannon Electrical Scheme, and that to touch the wires either directly or with a rod, wire, pole or ladder is virtually certain to cause immediate death. Such accidents already have occurred. The attention of parents is especially called to this matter.

Warning notices are prominently displayed near all such poles and masts, and the Board trust that due attention will be paid to them.

Thousands of ladies keep a box of Martin's Pills in the house. Those who use them recommend them, hence their enormous sale. Price 5s. Sold by all Chemists and Stores; or post free from proprietors, Martin, Chemist, Southampton. —(Advt.)

LAW REPORTS.

INCIDENT OUTSIDE A MISSION.

JUSTICE'S ORDER QUASHED.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE SULLIVAN, MR. JUSTICE HANNA AND MR. JUSTICE O'BYRNE)

The case of Margaret Kennedy, of 12 Eccles street, Dublin, against Charles Kenny, District Justice, was again before the Court. It was an application on behalf of Miss Kennedy to make absolute, notwithstanding cause shown, a conditional order of 24th July, 1928, to bring up for the purpose of being quashed an order made by Mr. Kenny on 17th July fining Miss Kennedy 10s. and directing that, in default of payment, she should be imprisoned for seven days. Miss Kennedy was charged with having, on 17th July, 1928, wilfully obstructed and interrupted the free passage of persons on the public highway outside the Medical Mission at Chancery place, and refused to desist when cautioned; and with being guilty of conduct calculated to provoke a breach of the peace by stopping and questioning persons walking along the footway. It was stated in one of the affidavits that during the hearing of the charge the words "and shouting, causing a crowd to collect," were added.

The grounds of the application were that the order of the District Justice was ambiguous, void for uncertainty, and bad upon its face; and that the District Justice acted without, and in excess of, jurisdiction; and the amended order added to the particulars of the first-mentioned grounds, that the charge sheet did not charge any offence under Sub-section 13 of Section 14 of 5 and 6 Vic. cap. 24; that the order made on the charge sheet did not convict Margaret Kennedy of any offence under the sub-section; and that the order made on the charge sheet did not contain any adjudication upon the charge or any conviction of Margaret Kennedy.

Mr. Kenny, in an affidavit, stated that he informed Margaret Kennedy that he would amend the second charge against her by adding the words "and shouting, causing a crowd to collect." He was satisfied on the evidence that the charges were proved. Subsequently, at the request of Margaret Kennedy, he prepared and signed a formal conviction.

At the conclusion of the arguments,

Mr. Justice Sullivan said that the charge against Margaret Kennedy was admittedly a charge under Sub-section 13 of Section 14 of the Dublin Police Act of 1842. That sub-section provided that every person who shall use any threatening, abusive or insulting words or behaviour with intent to provoke a breach of the peace, or whereby a breach of the peace might be occasioned, would be guilty of an offence. The charge entered against Margaret Kennedy was, "being guilty of conduct calculated to provoke a breach of the peace at the said time and place by stopping and questioning persons walking along the footway, and shouting, causing a crowd to collect." That charge, as framed, was not, in his opinion, a charge under Sub-section 13 of Section 14 of the Act, inasmuch as it did not charge Margaret Kennedy with having used either threatening, abusive or insulting words or behaviour with intent to provoke a breach of the peace or whereby a breach of the peace might be occasioned. The District Justice, having heard the evidence and having come to the conclusion that he should convict, made the entry in his book and an order as follows:—"10s., 5 and 6 Vic., c. 24, Section 14, Sub-section 13. Seven days to pay. In default, seven days." It was, in his lordship's opinion, essential to a good conviction by the District Justice that he should make it clear that he was convicting the defendant of using either threatening, abusive or insulting words or behaviour, either with the intention or provoking a breach of the peace or whereby a breach of the peace might be occasioned, and he was, therefore, of opinion that the conviction in this case was bad, and on that ground, and on that ground alone, he was of opinion that the conditional order should be made absolute and that the conviction should be quashed.

"I would, however, wish to add this," said his lordship, "speaking for myself, that nothing I have said is to be taken as indicating any opinion that, if Miss Kennedy or any other young lady is guilty of the conduct which was alleged against her by the Guards, a good charge cannot be framed against her under the Dublin Police Act and a good conviction made, with the fixing of a penalty upon her. I am simply deciding in this case that on the ground I have stated the conviction is not a good conviction, and that the conditional order must be made absolute."

Mr. Justice Hanna agreed with the decision of Mr. Justice Sullivan and with the grounds upon which he had based it. He said that it was solely a question of law that they had to consider, and, speaking for himself, it was satisfactory for the Court that this could be decided without going into any of the facts, which involved upon the one side a young Catholic lady of twenty years of age who, while picketing this Mission, probably in excitement came in contact with the police. These young ladies were not of a class that would in ordinary circumstances be guilty of any criminal act, and while, on the other hand, the Court was not going to enter into any of the activities of the body referred to as the Dublin Medical Mission, he thought he would be entitled to say—and he would say it without hesitation—that it would be in the interests of the peace and law and order of the district, with which alone he was concerned, that, if there was anything in the charitable administration of its work which might bear even the appearance of interfering with the religion of any other person, it should be scrupulously avoided.

Mr. Justice O'Byrne also concurred with the decision of Mr. Justice Sullivan and with the grounds stated by him for that decision.

The Court accordingly made absolute the conditional order and quashed the conviction of the District Justice. They allowed the applicant the costs of the day.

Mr. Geoghegan, K.C., and Mr. Frank T. Sweeney (instructed by Messrs. Fullerton and Doyle) appeared for Miss Kennedy; and Mr. Vincent Rice, K.C., and Mr. T. A. Finlay (instructed by the Chief State Solicitor) for Mr. Kenny.

ERNE FISHERY CASE.

COSTS OF THE ACTION.

(BEFORE THE CHIEF JUSTICE, MR. JUSTICE FITZGIBBON AND MR. JUSTICE MURNAGHAN.)

In the case of Moore and others v. the Attorney-General and others, in which an appeal has been filed by the defendants from the judgment of Mr. Justice Johnston at the trial of the action in favour of the plaintiffs, an application was made on behalf of the plaintiffs for an order directing the defendants to give security for costs before the hearing of the appeal was proceeded with.

The action had been brought by Major R. J. Moore, of "The Cliff," Ballyshannon, and other members of the Erne Fishery Company against a number of local fishermen and the Attorney-General of the Irish Free State, representing the general public. The plaintiffs sought a declaration that they are entitled to a several fishery in the tidal portion of the River Erne from the falls of Asserce at Ballyshannon to the bar at Ballyshannon under a Landed Estates Court conveyance of 11th March, 1869.

The defendants denied that the plaintiffs were entitled to the several fishery claimed, and pleaded that the public had an indefeasible right to fish in the portion of the river specified.

Mr. Jellett, K.C.; Mr. Overend, K.C.; Mr. Henry, K.C., and Mr. Newett (instructed by Mr. R. H. Reid) appeared for the plaintiffs; Mr. Lynch, K.C.; Mr. Meredith, K.C.; Mr. MacLoone, K.C.; Mr. Martin Maguire, K.C., and Mr. McGuckin (instructed by Mr. Francis Gallagher) for the defendant fishermen: and Mr. Bewley, K.C.; Mr. Lavery, K.C., and Mr. E. J. Kelly (instructed by the Chief State Solicitor) for the Attorney-General.

The hearing of the application had not concluded when the Court adjourned until to-day.

RENT OF KINGSTOWN HOUSES.

EXECUTOR'S APPEAL.

(BEFORE THE CHIEF JUSTICE, MR. JUSTICE FITZGIBBON AND MR. JUSTICE MURNAGHAN.)

The hearing was concluded of the appeal by the defendant in the case of Carr and another v. Connor from a judgment and order of Mr. Justice Meredith, dated 30th October, 1928, in favour of the plaintiffs, at the trial of the action, which related to the question of the raising of the rents on the estate of the late John Carr, Kingstown, of whose will the defendant, Joseph Connor, was executor and trustee.

The facts of the case and the points of law involved have been already published.

Mr. Jellett, K.C.; Mr. Lavery, K.C., and Mr. M. J. Ryan, K.C. (instructed by Messrs. Fullerton and Doyle) appeared for the appellant and defendant; and Mr. McCann, K.C.; Mr. Dickie, K.C., and Mr. G. A. Moonan (instructed by Messrs. Ryan and O'Brien) for the respondents and plaintiffs.

The Court reserved judgment.

DUBLIN DISTRICT COURT

MISSING MORTAR MIXER.

ACCUSED MEN RETURNED FOR TRIAL.

(BEFORE MR. COLLINS.)

Jeremiah Connolly, 3rd Lock, Inchicore, was charged with stealing a mortar mixer value £40 off the lands of Mr. Strain, Jamestown, road, Inchicore, at the beginning of the present month.

Mr P. H. O'Brien, solicitor, appeared for the defence.

In connection with the same case,

Bernard Berg (alias Chambers) and David Wilders, both of whom travel in a caravan and deal in metal, were charged with receiving some of the metal broken up from the mortar mixer.

Mr. O'Grady, solicitor, appeared for Berg.

Thomas Williams, a building contractor engaged in erecting houses on the property of Mr. Strain at Jamestown road, Inchicore, deposed to seeing a man breaking up a metal pan with a sledge hammer. The pan in question was part of the old mortar mixer. Witness could not identify the man whom he saw breaking up the metal.

William McGowan, metal merchant, Store street, deposed to purchasing two lots of scrap metal from Wilders, whom he had known as a dealer for some time. In all witness paid £2 12s. for the metal which Wilders brought to him.

The Justice returned the accused men for trial, admitting them to bail.

BICYCLE THIEF SENTENCED.

John Blight (40), with an address in Cumberland street, Dublin, was charged by Guards 154A and 45A with the larceny of a number of bicycles within the last few months.

The defendant said that he would plead guilty to stealing one of the machines.

The Justice imposed a sentence of four months' imprisonment with hard labour.

LIMERICK BOARD OF HEALTH.

REQUEST TO BOROUGH COUNCIL.

The Limerick Borough Board of Health considered at a special meeting yesterday evening a letter from the Minister for Local Government on the report of the Inspectors who held a sworn inquiry into the question of the administration and reorganisation of the City Home and Hospital.

The report recommended the abolition of the Board, and the appointment, subject to the approval of the Borough Council, of a person or persons to take over the powers, duties and functions of the Health Board. Mr. P. Bourke, Chairman, presided.

Alderman Reidy said that, in his opinion, the system of poor law administration, as applied to the institution, was faulty and required overhauling. It would be in the interests of the institution and the citizens if the Board recommended the Borough Council to adopt the Minister's suggestion, dissolving the Board, and replacing it with a Commissioner.

Mr. O'Callaghan said that a specific order was sent down by the Minister, and if the Board did not retire voluntarily they would be compulsorily dissolved, and the Commissioner appointed.

Alderman Reidy proposed that, having regard to the fact that the Board having repeatedly pointed out to the Minister that the poor law system in Limerick County Borough imposed a heavy burden on the ratepayers through workhouse amalgamation, the Minister be requested to give effect to Section 73 of the Local Government Act, 1925.

The motion was passed, and will come before the next meeting of the Borough Council.

Alderman Canty—We have finished now, and all I say is—God help the city poor in the future.

CHURCH SERVICES.

St. Patrick's Cathedral.—Morning Service at 10 o'clock. Psalm, 146. Jubilate, 32. Litany. Hymn, 539. Evening Service at 4 o'clock. Note—Unaccompanied Service. Magnificat, Nunc Dimittis, Rogers in D. Anthem, "Word of God Incarnate," Gounod, 792.

Christ Church Cathedral.—Morning Service at 10.45 o'clock. Jubilate. Litany. Evening Service at 3 o'clock. King in F. Anthem, "Comfort, O Lord." Crotch.

SIR PATRICK DUN'S HOSPITAL.

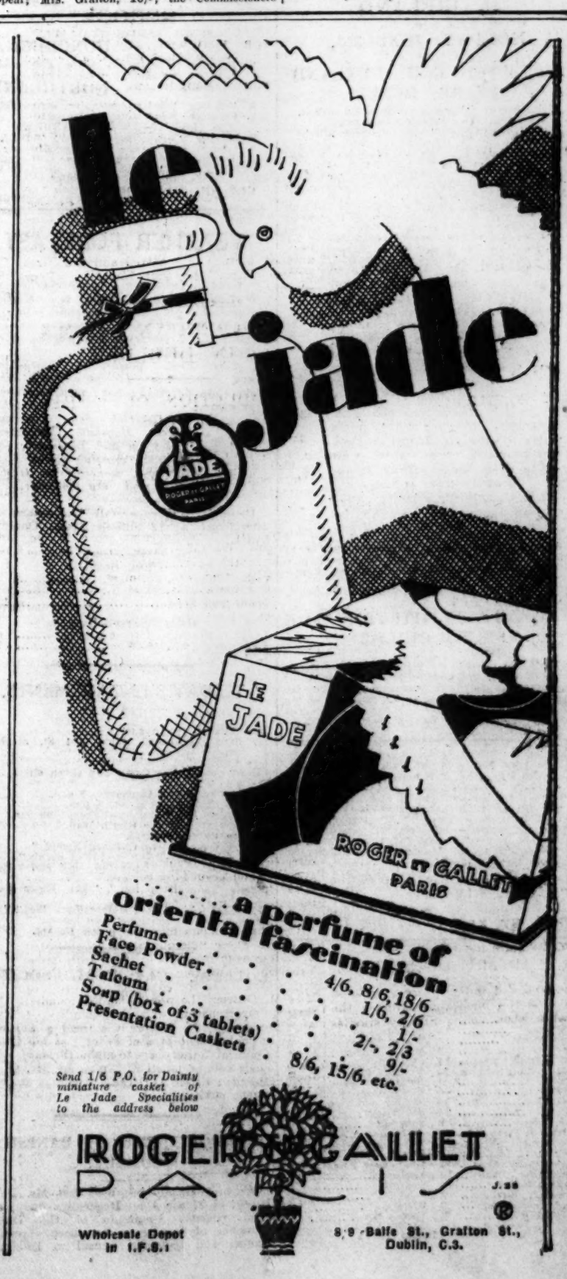
A meeting of the Board of Governors of Sir Patrick Dun's Hospital was held at the Hospital on Monday morning, 27th May, at 10 o'clock, Dr. T. Gillman Moorhead in the chair. Also present:—Miss M. Angela Boland, Mr. David Barry, Professor W. E. Thrift, Lady Taylor, Dr. de Burgh Daly, Dr. J. T. Wigham, Mr. J. Walter Beckett, Sir James Craig, M.D. (Assessor), and the Registrar.

Minutes of last Board were read and signed. Minutes of General Purposes and Nursing Committee, also those of the House and Finance Committee, were read and signed. Accounts for April were passed, and cheques signed in discharge of same amounting to £1,202 1/11. Bank statement showed an overdraft of £8,549 11/8.

Receipts for April came to £867 7/6. The House Surgeon, Dr. Dockeray, reported that during the month some 3,567 patients were treated in the various dispensaries; 147 cases were admitted into the wards, and 105 beds were occupied on 30th April. The Governors were pleased to hear of the following donations being received since last meeting:—"A. Z." per Sir James Craig, £25 for Building Fund; Mrs. E. C. H. Wright, £1; Alex. C. Carroll, Esq., £10; the Employés of the Hammond Lane Foundry, £5 5/-; Charles E. Jacob, Esq., £50, and Mrs. Susan R. Jacob, £50; per Sir James Craig, for Building Fund; Major Bease, £1, per Dr. T. Gillman Moorhead; J. F. Moorhead, Esq., per Dr. T. Gillman-Moorhead, £5; Mrs. M. M. Fitzgerald, £1 1/-; Sir Thomas Power, £5 5/-, per Dr. T. Gillman Moorhead; Mrs. Burgess, £3, per Mrs. Manning; Mrs. Helen Warren, £10, per Special Appeal; Miss Spurgeon, £1, per the Rev. Canon Wilson; Miss Ferrar, £50/-; William Keir, Esq., £2; Edwin M. Solomons, Esq., proceeds of a Football Match, £10 11/-; Lady Parsons, £3 3/-, per Special Appeal; Mrs. Gralton, 10/-; the Commissioners of Irish Lights, £2 2/-; J. P. Johnston, Esq., £2 2/-; Mrs. Brunskill, £2; C. H. B. Caldwell, Esq., £5; Miss Robertson, £5, per Special Appeal; Miss E. O. Crowe, £1; E. J. French, Esq., £21, per Special Appeal; Francis C. H. Moore, Esq., £2 2/-; Anonymous, £1; the Arnott Bequest Fund, per the *Irish Times*, Ltd., £10; the Right Hon. Jonathan Pim, £5, per Special Appeal; Mrs. Dillon, £2; the Employés of the Ringsend Dockyard Company, Ltd., £15 5/4; Miss I. F. Nugent, £1; Mrs. M. C. Boydell, £1; Professor W. E. Thrift, from an anonymous donor, for Building Fund, £300; Mrs. E. H. Taylor, £50, per Dr. T. Gillman Moorhead, for Building Fund; R. V. Scharff, Esq., per do., for Building Fund, £2; Mrs. David Barry, proceeds of Bridge Drive and Sale for the furnishing of the new Theatres being built, £131 12/6; Lady Charlotte Stopford, 10/-; E. J. Beaumont-Nesbitt, Esq., H.M.L., £5; Mr. and Mrs. C. Pratt-Whelan, £50, per Special Appeal; Miss Longfield, £3 3/-, per Special Appeal; the Irish Rugby Football Union, proceeds of "Bateman Cup Competition," £11.

The following kind gifts were received and acknowledged by the Lady Superintendent:—Miss Davis, boxes of primroses; Mrs. Barre, cakes and flowers; anonymous, books; Mrs. Harlow Phibbs, periodicals; Miss Rice, empty bottles; Mrs. Scott, tea and sugar; Mrs. Barry, periodicals; from the British and Irish Steam Packet Company, books; anonymous, periodicals; Mrs. Balfour, flowers; Messrs. Eason and Son, periodicals; Mrs. Beckett, books and magazines; the *Irish Times*, Ltd., copy of daily paper free; the *Independent* Newspapers, Ltd., 3 copies of daily paper free.

Mr. James Guy, formerly of Mulnagoagh, Dromore, County Tyrone, has been appointed a Judge of the City of Bristol, in the State of Pennsylvania, U.S.A.



PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

GAIETY THEATRE.
TO-NIGHT AT 8. MATINEE SATURDAY AT 2.30
MURRAY CARRINGTON
IN THE HAYMARKET THEATRE SUCCESS,
"THE FOURTH WALL,"
A DETECTIVE PLAY IN THREE ACTS.

GAIETY THEATRE.
Next Week: THE ULSTER PLAYERS.
Monday, Wednesday, and Friday Evgs., & Sat. Mat., The New Play, "NO SURRENDER."
Preceded by "TURN COATS," a Comedy in One Act
Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday Evenings, "THE DRONE," & "THOMPSON IN TIR-NA-N-OG."

OLYMPIA THEATRE.
TO-NIGHT, AT 8 O'C.
DUBLIN OPERATIC SOCIETY.
ROSSINI'S GRAND OPERA,
"THE BARBER OF SEVILLE."
Cast—Mamie Dingle, Pearl Maconkey, Leo Bryff, John Nolan, A. J. Robinson, Henry Thornton, Raymond Victory.
Chorus. Augmented Orchestra.
Musical Director: Maestro A. G. Viani
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IN AID OF JERVIS STREET HOSPITAL.
Prices:—Parterre, 3/6; Circle, 2/4; Gallery, 1/-; Boxes (to hold four), 12/6 and 15/6.

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TO-NIGHT AT 8, AND ALL THIS WEEK.
Also SUNDAY, JUNE 2nd, at 8 o'clock.
"THE CONSTANT NYMPH."
Presented by Arthur Shields and Sheilah Richards, by arrangement with Basil Dean.
Booking at Theatre Now.

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CONTINUOUS ..... 2.0 to 10.30 p.m.
J. FARRELL MacDONALD & NANCY DREXEL, in
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DAILY, at 2.0, 4.30, 7.0 and 9.30.
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Book your seat in advance for Sunday Night Performance. No Booking Fees.

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"DOES MOTHER KNOW BEST?"
with
MADGE BELLAMY.

ST. JAMES'S PARISH, DUBLIN.
RAINBOW BAZAAR,
THIS DAY (FRIDAY) and TO-MORROW (SATURDAY), MAY 31st-JUNE 1st,
In the SCHOOLS, DOLPHIN'S BARN.
The Bazaar will be opened on To-day (Friday) at 3, by John Garvey, Esq., O.B.E., D.L.

HAROLD'S CROSS PARK.
GREYHOUND RACING,
TO-NIGHT ..... AT 8.15
K-A-A.

ALL SAINTS' PARISH CHURCH,
PHIBSBOROUGH ROAD.
GARDEN FETE
AND SALE OF WORK,
IN THE VICARAGE GROUNDS,
TO-MORROW (SATURDAY),
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OPENING CEREMONY BY THE RIGHT HON. LORD GLENAVY, At 3.30 p.m.
NUMEROUS ATTRACTIONS—AFTERNOON TEAS, ICES, OUTDOOR AMUSEMENTS, AUNT SALLY, DECK TENNIS, Etc., Etc.
Admission ..... Sixpence.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

CLIMBING ELECTRIC POLES.
DANGER TO LIFE.
WARNING.
The Electricity Supply Board again wish to warn the public that it is highly dangerous to climb Electrical Transmission Line Poles and Masts, now erected in the Saorstat, and that to touch the Electrical Transmission Wires either directly or with any rod, wire, pole or ladder, is practically certain to result in immediate death.
Despite the fact that a warning notice is attached to every pole, two fatal accidents have recently occurred as a result of unauthorised persons climbing such poles.
P. J. DEMPSEY, Secretary,
Electricity Supply Board.

ALEXANDRA COLLEGE MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION.
ANNUAL SALE,
THIS DAY (FRIDAY), MAY 31st,
3—7 o'clock.
Admission ..... 6d.

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN IRELAND
WILL MEET ON
MONDAY, JUNE 3rd,
IN
ABBEY CHURCH, RUTLAND SQUARE, DUBLIN.
Divine Service will commence at seven o'clock, evening. This Service is free to all.
At the subsequent Sederunts admission will be by ticket only.
Season Tickets, entitling to admission to all Sederunts open to the public, 2/6 each.
Occasional Tickets for a Single Sederunt, 6d. each.
Admission on Friday evening, 7th June, and afterwards will be Free.
The Communion will be dispensed in Adelaide road Church on Tuesday, 4th June, at ten o'clock a.m. Members of the Church are invited to attend.
The Sessions of the Assembly from 4th to 7th June, inclusive, will be held in the Mansion House, Dawson street. The Session on Saturday, 8th June, will be held in the Synod Hall, Christ Church place.
W. J. LOWE, General Secretary.

SOUTH OF IRELAND CONVENTION,
GREYSTONES, CO. WICKLOW.
From MAY 26th to JUNE 1st, 1929.
Speakers:
REV. A. ST. JOHN THORPE (Beckenham),
REV. H. FARNSHAW SMITH (Brixton),
DR. NORTHCOTE DECK (Sol. Isles),
and Others.
The Daily Programme from 28th to 31st will be as follows:—
8. 0 a.m. to 9. 0 a.m.—Prayer Meeting.
11.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.—Bible Reading.
4. 0 p.m. to 6. 0 p.m.—Convention Meeting.
7.30 p.m. to 9. 0 p.m.—Convention.
MISSIONARY MEETING THIS (FRIDAY) AFTERNOON At 3 p.m.
Expected Speakers—
DR. EDITH BROWN, Ludhiana.
MISS MAITLAND, Z.B.M.M.
MR. D HAMILTON, S.A.G.M.
DR. NORTHCOTE DECK, and others.
A special train will run at about 9.15 p.m. to connect with 9.30 p.m. from Bray to Dublin. Vouchers for Reduced Railway Fares and all particulars may be obtained from Convention Secretary, Seapatrick, Greystones; or from Bible Depot, D'Olier street, Dublin.

STEWART INSTITUTION FOR IMBECILE CHILDREN.
The Voting Papers for the Election of 6 Pupils on 10th June, 1929, have been issued. Voters whose papers may not have come to hand are requested to apply at once to the Secretary at the office, 40 Molesworth street, Dublin. A subscription of 10/6 gives One Vote; a donation of £5 5/- a Life Vote.

Registered at Dublin Castle on 29th June, 1928.
To Lend Money in the Irish Free State.
LOANS BY POST, £20 to £5,000. Why worry where to obtain a Loan at Low Rates. We are lending money to Ladies and Gentlemen at 4 per cent., which is in accordance with the English Act of Parliament—namely, £20 repayable £20 16/8; £30, repayable £31 5/-; £50, repayable £52 1/8; £100, repayable £104 3/4. Other amounts in proportion. One to three years' credit allowed. Existing loans paid off. No fees. Strictly private. Do not hesitate: write now.—HAYWOOD and HAYWOOD, LTD., 29, GRAINGER STREET WEST, NEWCASTLE-ON-TYNE.

THE VOLLEY IN TENNIS, by Donald M. Greig. See the "Weekly Irish Times" to-day. Price twopence.

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6.45 ..... TWICE NIGHTLY ..... 9.0.
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And his TEN COMEDIANS, Comprising Five of the Greatest MIDGETS in the World!
UNA WORTH, BILLY RESSO,
OLGA AND HER FRIZZY GIRLS,
THE SKATING RIOTS.
MADGE KENNEDY, THE 4 CASTLES
DAWN AND GRAY,

PAVILION, DUN LAOGHAIRE.
Continuous from 3.30.
ONLY TO-DAY AND TO-MORROW LEFT—
RONALD COLMAN,
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In FRED NIBLO'S SUPERB SCREEN ROMANCE,
"TWO LOVERS."
From "LEATHERFACE," by BARONESS ORCZY.
At 3.45, 6.5, and 8.35. Chas. Bowers Cdy. Rve, &c.
DON'T MISS SEEING "TWO LOVERS."

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DAILY, 2.30 TO 11 O'C. .... CONTINUOUS.
GEORGE BANCROFT,
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SHOWING AT 4.5, 6.55 and 9.45.
ALSO
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ENTERTAIN AT THE
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RESTAURANT.
MIDDLE ABBEY STREET.
12.45 P.M.:
LUNCHEON ... 2/6 & 3/6
6.30 P.M.:
DINNER..... 6/6
AND A LA CARTE.
4-6 P.M.:
TEA DANCES
EVERY AFTERNOON.
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The finest of foods and wines, served in the brightest and most attractive surroundings. First-class dance band. Spacious and luxurious diningroom.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

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(Department of Education—Technical Instruction Branch).

ART TEACHERSHIPS-IN-TRAINING.
An Examination for Teacherships-in-Training tenable at the Metropolitan School of Art, Dublin, will be held in Dublin on the 2nd, 3rd, and 4th July, 1929. Applications (on Form S.5) for admission to the Examination must be received by the Department not later than the 17th June, 1929.
Further particulars and copies of Form S.5 may be obtained from the Secretary, Department of Education (Technical Instruction Branch), 64-65 Merrion square, Dublin, C. 17.
Preference will be given to candidates with a knowledge of Irish. 31/A. 3054. W.H.Co.

NOTICE.
Messrs. Geo. Magee and Co., Auctioneers, of Ballybofey, have been instructed by the Irish Land Commission to sell by Public Auction, at their office, Ballybofey, on Wednesday, 12th June, 1929, at one o'clock, that part of the lands of Drumderrydonan, containing 637 acres and 19 perches, or thereabouts, Statute measure, comprised in Folio 1641, Barony of Raphoe, South, and County of Donegal (now Tirconaill), now or formerly in the occupation of Hugh McGinley, held in fee-simple, subject to a present Land Purchase Annuity of £11 0/6, which is reducible pursuant to the provisions of the 25th Section of the Land Law (Ireland) Act, 1896. Said Annuity is payable by half-yearly instalments of £5 10/3.
The turbary rights are reserved as in said Folio set forth.
The sporting rights are reserved as in said Folio set forth.
The Lands will be sold subject in so far as the same are legally affected thereby to any tenancy thereon.
In the event of the sale by Public Auction proving unsuccessful the Irish Land Commission will sell the Lands by Private Treaty.
For Conditions of Sale apply to the Auctioneers, or to W. J. O'REILLY, Solicitor to the Irish Land Commission, 21 Upper Merrion street, Dublin.
31/A. 3008. W.H.Co.

CONTRACTS.

HOWTH URBAN DISTRICT.
Tenders are invited for 500 cubic yards of Hard Limestone or Greenstone Chippings or Hard Pebble, ¼" to ½" which will pass ½" dia. ring and not pass ¼" dia. ring.
Above to be delivered in five-yard quantities, where required, by Foreman, on Main Road between Kilbarrack and Harbour, and for like material and like amounts between Howth Harbour and Sutton to roads on the Hill.
Any further particulars can be had from the Town Surveyor, Mr. F. Higginbotham, M.I.C.E.I., Howth, or 3 Clare street, Dublin.
Tenders to be addressed to the Commissioner, P. J. Meghen, Esq., B.E., Town Hall, Howth, before the 10th June, 1929.
By Order,
JAMES MOORE, Town Clerk.

EDUCATION.

LONDONDERRY HIGH SCHOOL.
SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE
FOR BOARDERS AT DUNCREGGAN
2 Entrance Scholarships value £20 each.
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SPECIAL PRIVILEGES will be given to girls who enter before their 13th birthday.
Particulars and prospectus from
THE HEAD MISTRESS.

WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—An anti-cyclone is centred over Iceland, and an associated ridge of high pressure extending to the North Sea, although decreasing in intensity, will maintain fine weather over the British Isles.

North-West, North-East, South-East and South-West Ireland.—Wind east, moderate or fresh; fine; moderate temperature.

Sea Passages.—Irish Sea, crossings from Holyhead, Heysham, Stranraer, Glasgow, Ardrossan and Liverpool; St. George's Channel, crossing from Fishguard—Wind east, moderate or fresh; fine; visibility good sea moderate.

Dixon and Pempenstall Barometers and Thermometers. 12 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt.)

THE SUN.

To-day....	Rises ...	5. 5	Sets 9.40
To-morrow..	„ ...	5. 4	„ 9.41
Lighting-up Time			10.40

HIGH WATER—DUBLIN.

To-day....	Morning	5.27	Afternoon 6. 0
To-morrow..	„ ...	6.34	„ 7. 6

TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS.

Dail Eireann, 10.30 a.m.
St. Patrick's Nurses' Home, 101 St. Stephen's Green, 4 p.m.
Law Courts, The Castle, 11 a.m.
Circuit Courts, The Castle and Green street, 11 a.m.
Dublin Chamber of Commerce, 3 p.m.
Rolands, Ltd., Capel street, 3 p.m.
St. James's Parish Dublin—Rainbow Bazaar.
Gaiety Theatre—"The Fourth Wall."
Theatre Royal—Varieties.
Abbey Theatre—"The Constant Nymph."
Olympia Theatre—"The Barber of Seville."
Metropole Cinema—"Riley the Cop" and "Three-Ring Marriage."
Capitol—"The Drag Net," "The Water Hole," and Variedes.
Grafton Cinema—"Does Mother Know Best?"
Pavilion, Dun Laoghaire—"Two Lovers."
Harold's Cross Park—Greyhound Racing.

COLLEGE CLASSICAL SOCIETY MEETING.
Mr. H. U. Kuster will read a paper on "The Ancient Idea of Peace" at the College Classical Society on to-night (Friday). The chair will be taken at 8 p.m. by Mr. G. W. Mooney, F.T.C.D. These meetings are open to the public.

APPOINTMENT OF DANISH CONSUL.
We are officially informed that Mr. David Barry, of 27 Sir John Rogerson's quay, and until recently Chairman of the Dublin Chamber of Commerce, has been appointed Danish and Icelandic Consul in Dublin.

The Irish Times.

FRIDAY, MAY 31, 1929.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

The Juries (Protection) Bill passed through committee in Dail Eireann yesterday.—(Pages 11 and 5.)

A feature of the Northern Ireland elections yesterday was the large number of young women who voted early in the day.—(Page 8.)

Mr. John Hooper read a noteworthy paper on "Examination Statistics" at a meeting of the Statistical and Social Society of Ireland, held last night in the Royal Irish Academy, Dublin.—(Page 11.)

GREAT BRITAIN

It was officially announced last night that the King has a feverish attack and is confined to bed.—(Page 7.)

Labour gained many seats from the Conservatives on yesterday's election results.—(Pages 7 and 8.)

ABROAD.

Telegrams from Buenos Aires state that twenty lives have been lost and several villages have been partially destroyed by an earthquake in the Provinces of Mendoza, San Luis and Cordoba.—(Page 7.)

SPORTING

At the Curragh yesterday Good Thing won the Ballysax Plate, Flying Top the Brownstown Plate, Red Chariot the Waterford Plate, Passem the Loughbrown Plate, Sou'-West the Offaly Plate, and Miss Marlhill the Welter Plate.—(Page 10.)

FINANCIAL

London Stock Market was generally firmer. Gilt-edged stocks again advanced.—(Page 12.)

Conditions in Lombard street were easier, and loans over the night were obtainable at 4½ down to 4¼ per cent. Bill rates continued to fall.—(Page 12.)

Dublin Market was confident and good, with a general advance in prices.—(Page 12.)

The Giant Awakes.

When Atahuallpa was captured by Pizarro the only perfect communistic State known to history ceased to exist. In the Peru of the Incas with such precision was the individual controlled by the State that his land tenure was increased or diminished according to the births or deaths that might have occurred in his family since the preceding inspection. The law enjoined that nobody was to be allowed to rise or come down in the world. Idleness was punished as a crime, and insurrection was unknown. This achievement, however, continues to escape the utmost efforts of the Communists of modern Russia. The *muzhik*, who, in the Czarist days, was the most abject of mortals and grovelled before every imperial official, has developed a distressing tendency to flout the most exalted commissars of the Soviet Government. In an admirable article in the June number of *The Round Table*, entitled the "Awakening of the *Muzhik*," an eye-witness explains how this metamorphosis has come about. Formerly the peasant's one ambition was to acquire land, and with this object he strained every nerve, producing his maximum output in order to be able to buy his own farm. Then came the revolution, and, with the sweeping away of the landlords, the land passed to the peasant. For the *muzhik* the golden age had arrived. Many other things, however, had arrived with it—in one word, Bolshevism. Fanatics from Moscow and elsewhere descended on the remotest countryside to mould the peasant into a new form of things; and from this welter of unsolicited instruction he has developed a consciousness of self which he never had before. He has been shown also, if only on films, many amenities of life such as in earlier days he never aspired to possess, and has been told that he has as much right to them as anybody else.

It is only natural, then, that the *muzhik* regards his newly-acquired land as his absolute property. He refuses to be shaken in this belief by the mere fact that the sale of land has been prohibited. He claims everything that comes off it as equally his, to sell or to retain for his own use according to his own desire. This individualism of the *muzhik* is a serious trouble to the Communists of Moscow. "If," they argue, "it is tolerated, a *muzhik*, by selling his produce, will become a *kulak*' (a tolerably successful peasant), and afterwards there is nothing to prevent him from becoming *bourzhui* (bourgeois)." It was upon this point that Trotsky diverged from the fundamental principle laid down by Lenin. Trotsky, foreseeing this attitude of the *muzhik* and realising what it portended, proposed to "shake out" of his possessions any peasant who started to accumulate wealth; in other words, he sought to maintain a perpetual state of seismic revolution in every village. Lenin had held strongly that, with an alienated peasantry, the revolution could not prosper, if, indeed, it could survive at all. This awakening of the *muzhik* is the hope of Russia. The time cannot be for ever deferred when the 120,000,000 peasants of Russia will realise that they hold in their hands, by virtue of their value and their number, the key to the whole position, and will refuse to dance to the piping of some 3,000,000 industrialists. The communistic State of old Peru ran on oiled wheels because the Incas were to the peasantry a race apart, the children of the Sun, quasi-divine, with an embodied head in the chief Inca himself, who spoke as one having supernatural authority. During the Czarist days the Russian *muzhik*, in a less degree, trembled before imperial officialdom; but the commissars of to-day, unimpressive to behold, undignified as himself in speech, have nothing but their policy. The peasant, as being nearest the soil and, therefore, basically sane, is the ultimate salvation of every country, and it is certain that the Russian *muzhik*, when fully awakened, will be no exception to this rule.

Northern Farmers.

During the few years of its existence the Ministry of Agriculture in Northern Ireland has done much excellent work. Northern eggs and Northern butter have improved in quality and in appreciation in the British market, side by side with Southern eggs and Southern butter; and this has come to pass for the very simple reason that similar legislation for the control of exports has been passed in the Parliaments of the two Irish States. There is published to-day the second annual volume of the *Journal* of the Northern Ministry, and herein are accounts of research work which will be of interest to the farmers of the whole island. Great pains are being taken in the North to improve the poultry industry, and research has arrived at conclusions which will be helpful to all in Ireland who practise the poultry industry on a substantial scale and by scientific methods. Thus, two experts describe experiments in poultry feeding which reveal a remarkable increase in both body growth and egg production through the inclusion of a suitable mineral mixture in the ration. "The experiments . . . demonstrate clearly that a mash consisting only of mixed cereals is insufficient for birds capable of high egg records, and that a supplementary mineral diet must be given if maximum production is to be secured." With high-yielding birds the weight of the egg is found to depend largely on the proportion of mineral ration. Again, certain egg-laying trials with Wyandotte and Leghorn pullets are quoted to prove that the average proportion of second-grade eggs is highest in the case of the lightest birds and lowest in the case of the heaviest birds. These results indicate the importance of body weight in the maintenance of high laying records.

The *Journal* reports also on matters of especial local interest. It is important that a substantial supply of home-grown flax always shall be available for the use of the linen factories of Ulster. Less flax is grown in Ireland than of old, and virtually none is grown outside the Six Counties. It is hoped, however, that experiments which have been in process for some years will bring forth a strain of flax seed that will give so heavy a yield of flax as to render the growing of that exhausting crop once more profitable on Irish soil. The *Journal* reports that at present the seed known as "J.W.S.," from the initials of Mr. J. W. Stewart, a pioneer breeder of flax, maintains a foremost place in quality and yield. Rapid progress is being made in the propagation of this strain, principally in Canada, and large supplies are expected for the use of Ulster growers in the near future. Valuable advice to fruit-growers is contained in a report on the control of apple scab. This will be of service to farmers everywhere in Ireland, but its chief importance is to the farmers of County Armagh. Other topics on which the experts of the North give counsel are varieties of pig disease, late blight of the potato, the cutting of seed potatoes and the recording of milk yield. When so much good work is done that will be of service beyond the frontier of Northern Ireland, it is impossible not to regret the anomalous state of affairs which decrees that two departments of agriculture, two bodies of research workers, and two *Journals* should be maintained for the service of the farmers of this small island. Parallel efforts have brought all the progress to agricultural Ireland that North and South have enjoyed. When will united efforts and common counsels make progress doubly rapid?

State-owned Shipping.

After the Great War two countries—Australia and the United States—embarked upon large experiments in the national ownership of ships. In both cases the experiment has been a costly fiasco, and Australia has abandoned it completely. The United States Government is taking a like course. Mr. T. V. O'Connor, the chairman of its Shipping Board, announced recently that the Government "is definitely on the way out of the shipping business as a shipowner and operator." During recent years the Shipping Board has not run the State-owned ships directly, but has leased them to private firms or public companies, which have "operated" them on its behalf. Now the Board is selling, or is trying to sell, the ships outright—preferably to the "operating" companies—and already some passenger and cargo ships of large tonnage have changed hands in this fashion. It is probable that within a short time the United States Government will have disposed of all its ships, and no future Government is likely to repeat the experiment. Henceforward, as Mr. O'Connor says, the State's active interest will be "strictly along the line of promotion, regulation and support of private shipping under the American flag." British shipowners welcome this abandonment of a form of competition which, in injuring them, brought no compensating advantage to its authors. They realise that the United States Government can continue to help American shipping in many ways; but there is a radical difference between private ownership encouraged by the Government's assistance and State ownership under which vessels, though run at a loss, can be maintained in service. The history of State ownership everywhere, and of nearly every municipal interference with private trade, has been a record of failure; and in the case of the shipping trade such failure was manifestly inevitable. This industry demands, in a peculiar measure, technical skill, vigilance, the nicest calculation of trading factors, personal supervision and, above all, personal interest. Such essentials, in combination, no Government, working through its salaried officials, can supply.

Ingots.

"Ingots" is one of those fine words that stir the imagination. Like "pieces of eight," it conjures up pictures of buried treasure, mysterious islands and piracy on the Spanish Main. It occurred twice in yesterday's news, and in both instances it lives up to its colourful character. Seven years ago the liner Egypt was sunk off the coast of Brittany, after collision with a French cargo boat. She carried a treasure of £2,000,000 in gold and silver ingots, which now lie, amid her wreckage, at a depth of seventy fathoms. Naturally, such a prize has offered strong temptation to the salvage companies. Last year a French company, employing a team of German divers, contrived to locate the wreck; but the great depth impeded the divers' efforts, and they failed to break their way into the strong-rooms. Now a further attempt is being planned—on this occasion by Italian divers, who will be equipped with submarine oxy-hydrogen jets. Already this Italian outfit has salved a great store of diamonds from the liner Elizabethville, at a depth of 250 feet; and, if it succeeds where France and Germany have failed, Fascist Italy's cap will be adorned with a new feather. Our second story of ingots is still more romantic; for it puts us in the oriental atmosphere of royal disaster and flight, palace intrigue and hushed seraglios. It seems that King Amanullah has saved something from the wreck of his Afghan throne, since report says that he has brought with him to Bombay boxes of gold and silver ingots. They are now deposited—perhaps, a too prosaic touch—in the safe of the Taj Hotel; and "one of these boxes is so heavy that it took six coolies to lift it." If Amanullah had paid his army, he might have lacked this nest egg; but, on the other hand, he might have escaped exile.

THE DUKE OF NORFOLK.

COMING-OF-AGE CELEBRATIONS.

The Duke of Norfolk, England's premier Duke, came of age yesterday, and the occasion was celebrated in Royal fashion at Arundel Castle. From nearly every window in the town there hung a flag, and banners were strung across the streets. Placards bearing such mottoes as "God Bless the Duke and Duchess," were shown by shopkeepers, while the red and white colours of the Duke's family were seen on every side.

Hundreds of messages of congratulation and many presents awaited the Duke when he came down to breakfast. He now becomes Earl Marshal of England, an office which his uncle, Viscount FitzAlan, has filled during his minority. One by one the Duke's faithful retainers, whose forefathers have worked for his family for generations, offered their felicitations.

The townsfolk yesterday had their first glimpse of the Duke, when in the morning he walked briskly from the Castle gates across the road to the Church of St. Philip Neri to attend High Mass. He held the arm of his mother, the Duchess of Norfolk, and acknowledged the crowd's greetings by bowing and smiling.

After the ceremony the employés on his estates in Sussex, Norfolk and Surrey presented him with a calf-leather attaché case in the courtyard of the Castle, and afterwards they drank his health.

CORPUS CHRISTI.

The most interesting event of the day, perhaps, was the ceremony of the Feast of Corpus Christi, a yearly religious event, which curiously fell on the Duke's birthday anniversary, and for the first time was held entirely in the Castle grounds. An altar had been erected in the grass rectangle of the Castle, with three high golden candlesticks on either side, and a rich profusion of flowers as a background. The Roman Catholic Bishop of Southwark conducted the Service, and when he came from the private chapel in the Castle the crowd which had assembled knelt in prayer. The Duke was one of the four bearers of the canopy which protected the blessed Sacrament carried by the bishop. Viscount FitzAlan was another bearer. Monks from Storrington and many sisters and nuns took part in the ceremony, while little girls dressed in white and boys from local Roman Catholic schools added picturesqueness to the scene.

After prayers a procession was formed, with the Bishop carrying the Blessed Sacrament. He marched slowly round the Palace grounds to the accompaniment of ordinary Benediction hymns, sung by the choir of St. Philip Neri. Along the narrow path, over the ancient drawbridge, and under the great Palace arches the procession wound, and when again the rectangle was reached a Service was held in the open. The Duke's three sisters, dressed in lace veils, and the Duchess of Norfolk, who was in black, preceded the Bishop in the procession.

A HUGE BONFIRE.

The Duke last night held a family dinner party, and afterwards motored from the Castle to Bury Hill, four miles from Arundel, to set alight a thirty-foot beacon of faggots and brushwood, which the employés on the estate had taken a week to build. Thousands of people gathered on the Downs to see the young Duke. Two barrels of paraffin were poured upon the beacon, and the Duke, with lighted torch in hand, stepped forward and ignited it. The crowd cheered, and within a few minutes the huge pile was a glowing mass. The flames could be seen from a distance of twenty miles.

For hours before the beacon was lighted, cars collected on Bury Hill, and at ten o'clock fully seven thousand vehicles of all kinds were parked. It was estimated that fifty thousand people had come to see the Duke kindle the huge bonfire. Around it picnic parties sat and were entertained by the broadcast of gramaphone records arranged by the Duke, and couples danced in the neighbouring fields. When the Duke appeared the crowd cheered lustily, and soon the strains of "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow" could be heard for miles around. When the torch touched the beacon, it blazed for an hour, and many fireworks were displayed.

DERBY SWEEP TICKETS.

SOME LUCKY HOLDERS.

It was learned in Limerick yesterday that Mr. Daniel Portley of Dublin, brother of the late Mr. John Portley, Limerick, drew Gay Day in the London Stock Exchange Sweep. He has sold portion of his ticket for £7,500, and still stands to win over £60,000 should the horse win the Derby.

All the prizes are in duplicate. The other ticket for Gay Day was drawn by a syndicate of thirteen members of the Swansea Beechwood Club, who sold a half share in it to Sir Victor Sassoon, the owner of the horse, for £6,750.

SEVEN LUCKY WAREHOUSEMEN.

Seven Manchester warehousemen are the holders of the ticket which drew Cragadour in the £20,000 Smithfield Market Derby Sweep, the first prize in which is £9,385.

The ticket was originally bought by a woman member of a firm of meat importers. She transferred it to the manager of the firm's Manchester branch. It was sold and resold, and was finally raffled among a number of the men.

DIOCESE OF MEATH—PARISH OF RYNAGH (BANAGHER).

A meeting of the Board of Nomination for the Parish of Banagher was held yesterday, the Bishop of Meath, D.D., presiding. The Board elected the Rev. Thomas H. Scanlon, M.A., of Tempo Rectory, Co. Fermanagh, to the vacancy caused by the retirement of the Rev. J. W. McGinley, M.A.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

In honour of the King's birthday next Monday the ceremony of Trooping the Colour will be performed on the Horse Guards' Parade. The Duke of Connaught, with the Prince of Wales, the Duke of York and Viscount Lascelles, will ride at the head of the procession from St. James's Palace to the parade ground. It is expected that fifty-six officers and 1,595 other ranks will take part in the ceremony, and the Duke of Connaught will take the salute.

The Prince of Wales attended the annual dinner of the Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, which was held at the Army and Navy Club, Pall Mall. His Royal Highness will be the guest of honour at the annual dinner of the Hog-Hunters, which will be held on Thursday, June 13th, at the Savoy Hotel.

At the dinner party given at the French Embassy in London by the French Ambassador and Mde. de Fleuriau, the guests included Princess Marie Louise, the Spanish Ambassador, the Hungarian Minister and Baroness Rubido-Zichy, the High Commissioner for Canada and Mrs. Larkin, Sir John and Lady Leslie, Sir John and Lady Hanbury-Williams and Sir Ronald Storrs.

The Aga Khan, who seldom misses the Derby, will return to London from Paris next Monday. The Maharajah of Alwar (Prince Shri Sewai) has arrived in London with a large suite, and is staying at the Hyde Park Hotel. On his arrival at Dover he was welcomed by the Mayor and members of the Town Council. It is understood that His Highness will attend the Derby next week.

The Duke and Duchess of Devonshire will leave Chatsworth to-morrow for London, and will be in residence at 2 Carlton Gardens, for some time. The Duke and Duchess of Abercorn are expected to arrive in London about June 9th. The Countess of Donoughmore has returned to Chesterfield Gardens, where the Earl of Donoughmore will join her to-morrow. Other arrivals in London this week include Earl and Countess Stanhope, the Earl and Countess of Denbigh, the Countess of Ellesmere, Lord and Lady Loch, Lord Wavertree, Lord and Lady Wrenbury, Lady Sherborne and the Hon. Pamela Dutton, Mrs. Whitelaw Reid, Sir John and Lady Mullens and Sir Albert and Lady Stern.

The Dowager Marchioness of Lansdowne has arrived at Kingstown *en route* for Derreen, County Kerry, where she will spend this month. The Marchioness of Cholmondeley has left London for Houghton Hall, King's Lynn. Lord and Lady Bledisloe have left for a short stay in Paris. The Hon. Claude and Lady Dorothy Hope-Morley have left London for Mount Browne, Guilford, which they are renting for the summer.

The Duchess of Norfolk is entertaining a large party at Arundel Castle, where the coming-of-age of her son, the Duke of Norfolk, is being celebrated this week. Her guests include the Marquis and Marchioness of Bute, Viscount and Viscountess FitzAlan, the Hon. Magdalen Fitzalan-Howard, the Hon. Henry and Mrs. Fitzalan-Howard, Lord Howard of Glossop, Baroness Beaumont, Lady Mabel Howard, Lady Anne Kerr, Sir George Manners, Miss Manners, Lady Drummond, Miss and Mr. David Drummond, Sir Edward and Lady Philippa Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell-Scott, Captain Ian Maxwell, Miss Maxwell, Mrs. Ward, Mrs. Maxwell-Stewart, Mr. Algar Howard and Captain and Mrs. Talbot Ponsonby.

Lady Morton will hold a reception on Friday, June 14th, for the supporters and the committee of the ball which she is organising in aid of the ex-Service men in Southern Ireland.

At present Switzers are showing an unusually attractive selection of distinctive Coats in the newest materials and designs at very moderate prices. In their Ladies' Coat Department the requirements of Matrons, and also Ladies of petite figure, are receiving special attention this season—the wide range of sizes meeting every possible need.

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PASSENGERS ON ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.
Arrivals—G. Norman Reddin, Charles L. Rohu, Miss Comerford, the Misses Garland, the Rev. C. P. Looper, Mrs. Raphael, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Ramsay, Miss Simpson, Frank Wynne, Miss Hyans, Charles E. Warner, Miss E. Lucas, Major Lefroy, Mrs. and Miss Glick, the Rev. J. R. and Mrs. Hazley, Dr. and Mrs. Richard Leeper, M. Horan, Fred. W. Wasson, M. C. Goodwin, James Goodwin, M. Goodwin, J. C. Stodart, Miss Stodart, A. E. Caithness, W. D. Heuston, O. H. Granville, Miss Luttrill, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lemon, C. W. Ashe.
Departures—Mrs. Cooney and party, Miss G. Roche, Miss W. M. Davis, Miss J. H. Cummins, Mr. and Mrs. K. Huggard, Mrs. F. H. Jermyn.

PASSENGERS BY B. AND I. LINE, VIA LIVERPOOL.
Arrivals:—Mr. H. Carlton Walker, Colonel Glutterbuck, Miss Hammond, Mr. T. Devine, Mr. and Mrs. Wade, Mr. T. Morgan, Miss Roberts, Mr. F. Shaw, Mr. E. Shaw, Mr. T. Bilsbury, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Parkinson Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. O'Donnell, Miss Nugent, Mrs. Moore, Miss Evans, Mrs. Gorman, Miss Sherlock, Mrs. and Miss Maltby, Captain Eccles, Miss Tibbs, Mrs. Dalton, Mr. T. McWade, Mr. J. Kerr, Mr. T. Shevlin, Mr. J. McKeever, Mr. H. Slinger, Mr. T. Copithorne, Mr. and Mrs. Gorman, Mr. R. H. Rowe, Mr. R. L. Rowe, Mrs. Rowe, Miss Hawkes, Mrs. and Miss O'Callaghan.
Departures—Sir John Keane, Mrs. W. P. Gill, Mr. J. B. Wright, Mr. C. H. Byrne, Mr. T. Smith, Rev. S. Slean, Mr. T. Simpson, Mr. E. C. Smith, Miss Stevenson, Miss H. Horwood, Mr. T. O'Leary, Mr. W. B. Allen, Lieutenant James, Mrs. N. Manson, Mr. and Mrs. Lang, Mr. H. Carleton Walker, Mrs. Boohan, Miss D. Wynn, Mrs. F. H. Hall, Mrs. M. Sherlock, Mr.

LABOUR GAINS IN BRITISH ELECTIONS.

BIG LEAD OBTAINED IN THE INDUSTRIAL AREAS.

MINISTERS DEFEATED.

SIR AUSTEN CHAMBERLAIN'S NARROW MAJORITY.

Sir Austen Chamberlain—Majority 43.

Sir Thomas Inskip (Attorney-General), defeated at Bristol

Mr. Saklatvala (Communist), defeated at Battersea.

Captain Guest beaten by Labour at Bristol.

The only Conservative gain was announced after 2 a.m. at King's Norton, Birmingham.

The Right Hon. Fitzalan Hope, Chairman of Committees, was beaten at Walthamstow East.

Sir A. Steel Maitland was defeated at Erdington (Birmingham).

Mr. H. G. Williams, Secretary to the Board of Trade was defeated at Reading.

THE POSITION AT 7 A.M.

STATE OF PARTIES.

	Conservative	Labour	Liberal	Others
Total Poll	2,856,601	3,226,067	1,604,210	122,760
Returned	77	117	14	5
Gains	1	52	8	2
Losses	50	3	9	1
Seats at Dissolution	126	68	15	4
Total Seats at the Dissolution	400	162	46	7

In 206 constituencies, the great majority of them boroughs, counting took place last night immediately after the closing of the poll. In the remaining constituencies votes will not be counted until to-day.

THE FIRST RETURN.

Bury realised its ambition by providing the country with the lead, its result being announced at 10.25. Colonel Ainsworth, the Conservative, was again returned to Westminster, his poll showing an increase of 1,463, Labour's poll being up by 2,889 and the Liberal up by 2,313. The total poll showed an increase of 6,665 compared with the last general election, and the votes represented more than a seventy-five per cent. poll.

THE FIRST CHANGE.

The first change in the strength of the parties came five minutes after Bury's result, Great Yarmouth announcing a Liberal gain at the expense of Sir Frank Meyer (Conservative), who represented the constituency in the last Parliament. A Conservative majority of 1,071 was converted into a Liberal majority of 1,577 by Mr. Arthur Harboard, who sat for Yarmouth in 1923-1924, and lost his seat at the last election.

Two disappointments for Liberal hopes followed closely on the heels of the Yarmouth victory, Oxford confirming Captain R. C. Bourne (Conservative) in the representation of the city by a majority of over 6,000, and Sir William Sutherland, Mr. Lloyd George's former secretary, failing by over 9,000 to beat Labour at Barnsley.

AN EIGHTY PER CENT. POLL.

At Ashton-under-Lyne, where Mr. A. Bellamy repeated for Labour the success he had at the by-election last October, the Liberal poll showed a drop of 181 votes, Labour and the Conservative getting the whole of the advantage of the increase in the electorate. Ashton polled over eighty per cent. of the electorate.

THE FIRST LABOUR GAINS.

Labour's first gain was announced just before eleven o'clock—the return of Mr Ben Tillett for North Salford, which he represented in the 1923-1924 Parliament, and then lost at the last election to a Conservative. Here the Conservative poll did not reach 1924's figures, while that of Labour increased by over 3,000.

The defeat of Mr. R. G. Ellis, the retiring Conservative member, gave Labour another gain at Wakefield. Here also the Conservative poll showed a decrease, but this was probably due to the presence on this occasion of a Liberal candidate, whereas in 1924 there was a straight fight between Conservative and Labour.

MINISTER ELECTED.

The first Minister to survive the ordeal of contest was Captain Euan Wallace, a Junior Lord of the Treasury, who increased his majority at Hornsey from 7,800 to 9,511, despite big increases in both Liberal and Labour polls.

LABOUR GAINS IN THE NORTH.

A Labour victory at Stockton excluded from the new House of Commons Captain Harold Macmillan, one of the most brilliant young men on the Conservative side. Captain Macmillan increased his poll by over a thousand, but the Labour poll rose by 9,000, and gave the Labour candidate a comfortable win.

Another Labour gain at Accrington showed that even Conservative support for the Liberal candidate, Mr. Hugh Edwards, could not save the seat.

Burnley increased Mr. Arthur Henderson's majority from 4,465 to 7,954.

AN INDEPENDENT RETURNED.

Exeter gave Sir Robert Newman a great personal triumph by endorsing, with a 7,000 majority, his action in becoming an Independent in the last Parliament.

The official Conservative who opposed Sir Robert Newman was at the bottom of the poll.

Labour victories at Salford South and Salford West made the Labour domination of Salford in the new Parliament complete, three Conservatives being turned out and the three Labour men who sat for Salford in the 1923-24 Parliament taking their places.

A MINISTER DEFEATED.

The success of Dr. Somerville Hastings, the Labour candidate, at Reading involved the defeat of one of the ablest junior members of the Government, Mr. Herbert Williams, Parliamentary Secretary to the Board of Trade. Reading was one of the many Conservative gains at the 1924 election, and it was feared by the Government that Mr. Williams might be unable to hold it against Labour's powerful attack, especially in view of the presence on this occasion of a Liberal candidate.

REDUCED MAJORITY FOR "JIX."

At Twickenham, with two opponents, Sir William Joynson-Hicks, the Home Secretary, had to be content with a majority of less than 6,000, instead of the 11,000 which he received last time. His opponents, particularly Labour, polled so well, too, that "Jix's" win was of the minority vote variety—a new experience for him.

Early results from London boroughs included the re-election of the Minister for Air at Chelsea, the Secretary of State for War at St. George's, Westminster, with a 16,000 majority over Labour, and a Labour gain at Central Hackney, after a remarkably close three-cornered fight. In the last division the Conservative poll decreased slightly, and the Liberal poll rose from 5,000 to over 10,000.

MORE LABOUR GAINS.

A batch of Labour gains announced shortly after midnight included the defeat at Bootle of Sir Vivian Henderson, Under Secretary at the Home Office; the defeat of Mr. W. Forrest, a Liberal, who was unable to retain Batley, even with Conservative support; the capture of Swansea, West, which Mr. Walter Runciman represented in the late Parliament—Eccles and Rossendale.

SIR HERBERT SAMUEL'S SUCCESS.

Sir Herbert Samuel, Chairman of the Liberal Party Organisation, succeeded in wresting Darwen from the Conservatives, but only by a majority of 462. Preston also gave the Liberals a notable win from the Conservatives by returning Mr. W. A. Jowitt, the well known K.C., for the second seat.

Middlesbrough made no change in its representatives, Miss Ellen Wilkinson, Labour, and Mr. Kingsley Griffith being re-elected for the two divisions.

LABOUR EX-MINISTERS RETURNED.

Two members of the Labour Government of 1924, who lost their seats at the last election, regained them at Bradford—Mr. F. W. Jowett defeating Mr. T. D. Fenby, the Liberal Whip, by 3,597 in East Bradford, and Mr. W. Leach ousting Colonel Gadie, Conservative, from Central Bradford.

CHANGES IN MANCHESTER.

Manchester made a big change in its representation. In the late Parliament the ten seats were held by six Conservatives and four Labour. In the new Parliament Manchester will be represented by three Conservatives, five Labour and two Liberals. These changes arise from the defeat of Mr. Harold Briggs by the Liberal in the Blackley Division, the defeat of Sir Joseph Nall by Labour in the Hulme Division, and the defeat of Sir Thomas Watts by the Liberal, Mr. E. D. Simon, in the Withington Division.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL BEATEN.

Two surprises announced about 1 o'clock were the defeat of the Attorney-General, Sir Thomas Inskip, in a straight fight with Labour at Central Bristol, and the defeat of Sir Harry Brittain, Conservative, also by Labour at Acton.

In each of these fights the Conservative poll showed a slight decline on the figures of the last election, and the Labour poll recorded astonishing increases.

MR. BALDWIN'S SON RETURNED.

Mr. Oliver Baldwin's win for Labour at Dudley provides the first example of father and son sitting on opposite sides of the House of Commons. Mr. Oliver Baldwin is a son of the Prime Minister.

COMMUNIST DEFEATED.

Another win which will be particularly pleasing to the Opposition was the Labour candidate's success at North Battersea at the expense of the Communist, Mr. S. Saklatvala.

FIRST LABOUR LOSS.

The first Labour loss to be announced was the defeat of Mr. W. Windsor at North-East Bethnal Green by Major Nathan, a Liberal. At Liverpool the Conservatives lost two seats to Labour (Everton and Kirkdale), this being the only change in the city's representation in the late Parliament. Liverpool was represented by eight Conservatives, two Labour, and one Independent—Mr. T. P. O'Connor. It will be represented in the new Parliament by six Conservatives, four Labour and one Independent.

Mr. Derwent Hall Caine, the son of the novelist, won Everton for Labour, the Conservative's champion being Miss Margaret Beaven, formerly Lord Mayor of the city.

All four Bradford Divisions are now held by Labour. At the dissolution Bradford was represented by two Conservatives, one Labour and one Liberal.

At Bristol the representation was changed from two Conservatives, one Labour and two Liberals to four Labour and one Conservative. Captain F. E. Guest and Sir Beddoe Rees were the defeated Liberals.

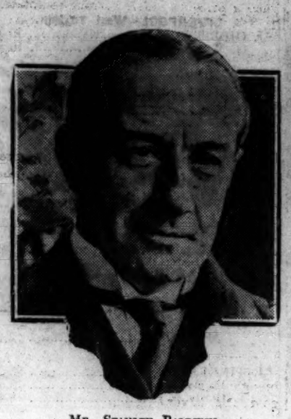
A NEW WOMAN M.P.

A new woman member returned is Mrs. Mary Hamilton, who has written a biography of Mr. Ramsay Macdonald. She headed the poll at Blackburn, a double-member constituency, she and her colleague scoring two gains for the Labour Party—one from Conservative and one from Liberal.

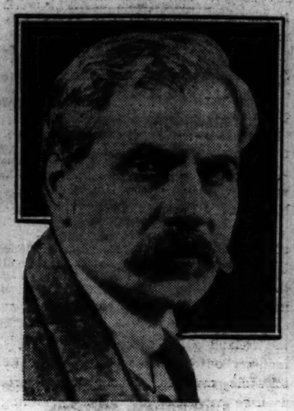
LADY ASTOR'S 211.

Lady Astor retained her seat in the Sutton Division of Plymouth by the narrow margin of 211, but her Conservative colleague in the Drake Division, Sir A. Shirley Benn, was defeated by Labour. Mr. Hore Belisha (Liberal) retained his seat in the third of the Plymouth Divisions.

GAINS AND LOSSES AT A GLANCE.



Mr. Stanley Baldwin.



Mr. Ramsay Macdonald.

Mr. Lloyd George.

Conservative Gains.

from Labour.

BIRMINGHAM—KING'S NORTON.

Seats Held.

BATH.
BURY.
CHELTENHAM.
CHELSEA.
EXETER.
GRIMSBY.
HYTHE.
OXFORD.
HORNSEY.
MANCHESTER—EXCHANGE.
HASTINGS.
WESTMINSTER—ABBEY.
MANCHESTER—ARDWICK.
TWICKENHAM.
LIVERPOOL—EAST TOXTETH.
LIVERPOOL—WALLASEY.
KINGSTON-ON-THAMES.
LIVERPOOL—WEST DERBY.
LIVERPOOL—FAIRFIELD.
WESTMINSTER—ST GEORGE'S.
LIVERPOOL—EXCHANGE.
CITY OF LONDON.
HACKNEY (N.).
SHEFFIELD—HALLAM.
SHEFFIELD—ECCLESALL.
ST. MARYLEBONE.
IPSWICH.
MANCHESTER—RUSHOLME.
SOUTHPORT.
GLOUCESTER.
LIVERPOOL—WAVERTREE.
HAMPSTEAD.
LANCASHIRE—BOYTON.
MIDDLESEX—BRENTFORD AND CHISWICK.
BIRMINGHAM, HANDSWORTH.
WORCESTER.
MIDDSEX, HENDON,
LEWISHAM—WEST.
LEWISHAM—EAST.
WOOLWICH—WEST.
FORFAR.
WILLESDEN—EAST.
MANCHESTER—MOSS-SIDE.
TYNEMOUTH.
EALING.
LIVERPOOL—WALTON.
BIRMINGHAM—EDGBASTON.
STOKE NEWINGTON.
PADDINGTON—NORTH.
THE HARTLEPOOLS.
ROCHESTER—GILLINGHAM.
MIDDLESEX—WOOD GREEN.
LANCASHIRE—WATERLOO.
SOUTHEND-ON-SEA.
MIDDLESEX—FINCHLEY.
BIRMINGHAM—MOSELEY.
YORKSHIRE—PUDSEY.
BIRMINGHAM—SPARKBROOK.
LANCASHIRE—MIDDLETON.
BRISTOL—WEST.
HOLBORN.
LEICESTER—SOUTH.
CAMBERWELL—DULWICH.
BIRMINGHAM—WEST.
NEWCASTLE—NORTH.
BLACKPOOL.
PLYMOUTH—SUTTON.
FULHAM—EAST.
PORTSMOUTH—SOUTH.
MIDDLESEX—HARROW.
PORTSMOUTH—NORTH.
AYR.
RICHMOND—SURREY.

Labour Gains.

from Liberal.

ACCRINGTON.
BATLEY.
BRADFORD, EAST.
BRISTOL, NORTH.
BRISTOL, SOUTH.
HACKNEY, SOUTH.
SWANSEA, WEST
SOUTHWARK, NORTH.
BLACKBURN.

from Conservative.

BIRMINGHAM—ERDINGTON.
BIRMINGHAM—LADYWOOD.
SALFORD, NORTH.
WAKEFIELD.
STOCKTON-ON-TEES.
SALFORD, SOUTH.
SALFORD, WEST.
WARRINGTON.
READING.
LIVERPOOL (EVERTON).
HACKNEY, CENTRAL.
SHEFFIELD, CENTRAL.
ROSSENDALE.
ECCLES.
BOOTLE.
MANCHESTER (HULME).
MIDDLESEX (ACTON).
WALSALL.
BRISTOL, CENTRAL.
BIRKENHEAD, WEST.
BRADFORD, NORTH.
DUDLEY.
ROCHESTER (CHATHAM).
BIRMINGHAM (DERITEND).
BIRMINGHAM (DUDDESTON).
BIRMINGHAM (ASTON).
CAMBERWELL (NORTH-WEST).
BLACKBURN.
YORK.
TOTTENHAM—SOUTH.
BIRMINGHAM (YARDLEY).
LEICESTER, EAST
KENT (DARTFORD).
GREENWICH.
FULHAM, WEST.
PLYMOUTH (DRAKE).
NEWPORT (MON.).
LIVERPOOL (KIRKDALE).
SHEFFIELD (PARK)
MIDDLESEX (ENFIELD).
HAMMERSMITH, SOUTH.
PORTSMOUTH—CENTRAL.
WALTHAMSTOW—EAST.
WOLVERHAMPTON.

from Communist.

BATTERSEA, NORTH.

Seats Held.

ASHTON-UNDER-LYNE.
BARNSLEY.
BURNLEY.
DEWSBURY.
ROTHERHAM.
LEIGH.
LANCS—FARNWORTH.
SWANSEA—EAST.
ST. HELEN'S.
BARROW.
LIVERPOOL—EDGEHILL.
LIVERPOOL—WEST TOXTETH.
YORKS—DONCASTER.
NELSON AND COLNE.
MIDDLESBROUGH—EAST.
CAMBERWELL—NORTH.
WEST BROMWICH.
LINCOLN.
SHEFFIELD—BRIGHTSIDE.
WIGAN.
LANCASHIRE—INCE.
SHEFFIELD—ATTERCLIFFE
BERMONDSEY—WEST.
MONMOUTH—ABERTILLERY.
POPLAR—BOW AND BROMLEY.
MANCHESTER—GORTON.
MANCHESTER—CLAYTON.
SMETHWICK.
MONMOUTH—EBBW VALE.
BRADFORD—CENTRAL.
SHEFFIELD—HILLSBOROUGH.
DARLINGTON.
DEPTFORD.
MANCHESTER—PLATTING.
ROCHDALE.
BATTERSEA—SOUTH.
BRISTOL—EAST.
CAMBERWELL—PECKHAM.
BRADFORD—SOUTH.
GLAMORGAN—ABERAVON.
BERMONDSEY—ROTHERHITHE.
POPLAR—SOUTH.
HUDDERSFIELD.
HAMMERSMITH—NORTH.
NEWCASTLE—CENTRAL.
HALIFAX.
DERBYSHIRE—ILKESTON.
WOLVERHAMPTON—BILSTON.
PAISLEY.
DUNDEE.
WOOLWICH—EAST.
NEWCASTLE—WEST.
YORKSHIRE—NORMANTON.
YORKSHIRE—KEIGHLEY.
LEICESTER—WEST
LANCASHIRE—WEST HOUGHTON.
EDMONTON.
SOUTHWARK—SOUTH-EAST.
NEWCASTLE-UNDER-LYME.
TOTTENHAM—NORTH.
SOUTHWARK—CENTRAL.

Liberal Gains.

from Labour.

BETHNAL GREEN, NORTH-EAST.
NEWCASTLE, EAST.

from Conservative.

GREAT YARMOUTH.
MANCHESTER—BLACKLEY.
LANCS.—DARWEN.
PRESTON.
BIRKENHEAD, EAST.

Seats Held.

GREENOCK.
MONMOUTH—PONTYPOOL.
WILSDEN, WEST.
MIDDLESBROUGH, WEST.
BETHNAL GREEN, SOUTH.
PLYMOUTH—DEVONPORT.
WOLVERHAMPTON, EAST.
MONTROSE.

THE POSITION HOUR BY HOUR.

	Con.	Lab.	Lib.	Others.
Unopposed	4	—	—	3
11 p.m.	8	3	1	3
11.20	10	5	1	3
11.40	11	12	1	4
Midnight	13	16	1	4
12.20	24	30	2	4
12.44	28	40	5	4
1 a.m.	41	60	8	4
1.30	49	85	9	4
1.40	52	88	9	5
2.0	58	97	11	5
2.20	65	106	12	5
2.30	66	108	12	5
3.0	71	111	14	5
4.0	77	115	14	5

YESTERDAY'S POLLING

WORLD-WIDE INTEREST.

In a leading article upon the Election, *The Times* observes:—One of the most singular features of the whole Election has been the contrast—most conspicuous to foreigners and to Englishmen who have lately travelled about the world — between the intense interest with which its results have been awaited abroad, and the calm, not to say the apparent listlessness during the campaign, of its actual participants in this country.

It is no exaggeration to say that the eyes of the whole world are set on England to-day. The Continent of Europe—deeply divided in its hopes—is looking intently to see what Government will emerge, and, perhaps, the leisurely course of certain negotiations is not entirely detached from the notion, that better terms in this or that direction may be forthcoming from a change of Ministers. All India, from Peshawar to Madras, is watching for the turn of events. So is Egypt, where an apparent period of peace does not conceal the preparations for fresh political movements, and China, where the civil struggles of a succession of robber barons seem gradually to be yielding to a Government capable of dealing with foreign nations. East Africa is frankly awaiting the appointment of a Secretary of State who will be in a position to inaugurate a permanent solution of her problems. As for Bolshevist Russia, where a campaign of violent abuse against the British Labour Party scarcely veils an intense desire that the Imperial Government should be weak and chaotic, there is no doubt at all about the anxiety with which the chances of a change are being canvassed there. These interested onlookers, it may be hoped, are deceiving themselves profoundly, for if there is one feature more obvious than another in modern English politics, it is the steady divorce from domestic controversies of our foreign and Imperial affairs. But a world-wide interest—no less than the novelty of an electorate which must now be regarded as fixed beyond future changes—has unquestionably made this a memorable day in our history.

Has our own attitude been quite so indifferent as it has sometimes seemed We shall know that with greater certainty to-morrow.

Full details of the Election Results declared up to the time of going to Press will be found on page 8.

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Conservative v. Labour	68
Conservative v. Liberal	15
Labour v. Liberal	12
Triangular Contests	444
Quadruple Contests	26

MEERUT CONSPIRACY TRIAL.

CASE OF A SPEN VALLEY CANDIDATE.

From "The Times" Correspondent.

ALLAHABAD, Thursday.

There will possibly be a further delay in beginning the Meerut conspiracy case trial owing to the great mass of documents which have had to be examined. The Sessions Judge at Meerut yesterday had before him an application for bail in the case of Shaukat Usmani, one of the accused, who is a parliamentary candidate for Spen Valley. His advocate asked that arguments might be heard immediately, as his client wanted to send by telegraph an election manifesto in code, which was not allowed by the prison rules.

Mr. Langford James, in opposing the application, said that the prosecution were ready to give all facilities for the issue of the manifesto, and the election would not be affected by the release of Usmani on bail.

The judge fixed to-morrow for the hearing of arguments on the application.

"CHICAGO MAY."

DEATH OF A FAMOUS IRISH CRIMINAL.

From Reuter's Correspondent.

PHILADELPHIA, Thursday.

May Churchill, the famous reformed criminal, "Chicago May," who had spent fifteen years of her life in prison, died here to-day in hospital at the age of 52.

"Chicago May" was an Irish girl, whose maiden name was said to have been Beatrice Desmond, although she used many others. She had been married twice, and was to have been married a third time upon leaving the hospital, which she had entered for a serious operation, to her old friend, Robert Considine, who had also spent twenty years in prison.

"Chicago May" left her country for America when she was only fifteen, and admitted in her published memoirs that she stole the money for the journey from her father.

Her most notorious crime, however, was the theft of £35,000 from the American Express Company in Paris, for which she and her companion, Eddie Guerin, were sentenced and sent to Devil's Island. After her release she chartered a yacht in order to help Eddie Guerin to escape.

QUEEN OF THE UNDERWORLD.

"The worst woman in the world." was how "Chicago May" was described by Inspector Stockley at the Old Bailey in London in 1907. She was then on trial for the attempted murder of her old associate, Eddie Guerin. When he returned to London after his escape from Devil's Island she betrayed him to the French police, who took steps for his extradition, but Guerin was never extradited.

Fearing that he would be revenged upon her, she took steps with another partner in crime, Charlie Smith, to get rid of Guerin. There was a sensational shooting affray, in which Guerin was wounded, and a trial at the Old Bailey where "Chicago May" was sentenced to fifteen years' penal servitude. Smith received a life sentence.

May Vivienne Churchill, the name under which she was tried, was then 35 years of age.

HER FAVOURITE WEAPON.

Blackmail was her usual weapon. Her beauty and fascination helped her in making the acquaintance of men often wealthy and distinguished. Hundreds of men, infatuated by her, were induced to write indiscreet letters. Then followed the threat of publication, and huge sums were extracted by "Chicago May" from her victims. In America it was stated that her name was associated with more cases of suicide than that of any other woman.

While she was still in the early twenties she came into conflict with the police of Denver for robbing men, and by the time that she returned to England, at the end of the last century, she had acquired an international reputation as a "crook." In London she played the game that she had practised successfully in America, and, though for years the police were aware of her exploits, she was too wily to be caught. It was when she ventured into other forms of crime that she suffered the penalty.

It was stated that when she was arrested on the charge of attempted murder forty letters were found from a nobleman; some affectionate, some imploring. All the letters pointed to the fact that she had threatened him with exposure unless she was well paid. At her trial Inspector Stockley stated that in England she had driven five men to suicide by blackmail.

REAL NAME UNKNOWN.

When she had served ten years of her sentence she was discharged, and, as she later declared, forsook crime. She busied herself on an autobiography, and, after its publication, lived in retirement in America. Recently it was announced that she intended to marry, her prospective bridegroom being Charlie Smith, otherwise Robert Considine, who was deported to America after serving his sentence in England.

Her real name will probably always be a mystery. She used many. She declared her maiden name to be Beatrice Desmond; but her intimate associate, Eddie Guerin, said in his memoirs that she had once confessed her name to be May Latimer.

COMMUNIST ACTIVITY AT SHANGHAI.

TRAM AND MOTOR CARS ATTACKED.

From "The Times" Correspondent.

SHANGHAI, Thursday.

The Communists made desperate efforts to foment a general riot to-day, the anniversary of the shooting in 1925. They were actively assisted by a mob of students, who were enraged by the severe measures recently taken by the Nanking Government to dissolve their organisation and to repress demonstrations.

Early in the morning a mob stoned tramcars and motor cars, both in the French Concession and in the International Settlement, doing some damage. The mob then proceeded to wreck the offices of the Chinese newspaper, the *Republican Daily News*. Sporadic attempts to create disturbances continued till late at night, but the police handled the situation admirably, and kept the demonstrators well in hand. Several arrests were made.

The rate of mortality for England and Wales last week averaged 11.8 per 1,000.

THE KING'S FEVERISH ATTACK.

"CONFINED TO BED."

LORD DAWSON RETURNS BY AIR FROM PARIS: THANKSGIVING SERVICE PLANS.

It is officially announced that the King has a feverish attack and is confined to bed.

A Windsor message states that the King had a slight cold on Wednesday, and, on medical advice, he remained in bed yesterday. Sir Stanley Hewett was in attendance.

Lord Dawson of Penn and Lady Dawson arrived at Croydon by air from Paris yesterday afternoon, and left the aerodrome by car. It is understood that they proceeded at once to Windsor.

An eminent West End physician, when shown the message regarding the King's illness, said: "Such a condition can have no relation whatever to the illness from which the King has just recovered. It would not be the initial cause of, or be affected by, it in any way. It may be a mere chill, to which anyone is liable."

The Court Circular last night stated that the Hon. George Lascelles and the Hon. Gerald Lascelles have left Windsor Castle.

It was stated at the Deanery of Westminster that the news of the King's cold had been received, but that there had been no suggestion of any alteration in the arrangements for the Thanksgiving Service on June 16th.

THE KING'S RECENT ILLNESS.

HIS GRADUAL RECOVERY.

The King's illness began in the middle of last November with a cold, caught while he was shooting at Sandringham. On November 20th Sir Stanley Hewett, Surgeon-Apothecary to the King, and Lord Dawson of Penn, Physician-in-Ordinary, were called in, and on the following day they issued from Buckingham Palace a bulletin, which spoke of "a cold, with some fever." Congestion of the right lung developed, and was followed by pleurisy and an increase of fever, and on November 28th the doctors, in their report to the Cabinet, said: "There must be anxiety."

While the Prince of Wales was returning, with all speed from East Africa, the King's condition became graver. On December 2nd the bulletin stated that His Majesty's strength was being taxed, and that his heart was causing anxiety; oxygen was administered during the night.

The arrival of the Prince of Wales on December 11th coincided with a statement from Buckingham Palace, which in some measure relieved the intense anxiety of the nation. It reported a slight improvement at midnight, an hour and a-half after the King and the Prince had exchanged greetings.

AN OPERATION.

A successful operation for drainage of the affected part of the chest was performed next day by Sir Hugh Rigby, and for the next few weeks the doctors concentrated on building up His Majesty's strength.

On January 3rd the doctors stated that they were hopeful that the King would be restored to his people. Every resource of medical science was brought to the King's assistance in his fight against exhaustion, and he began gradually to improve. It was February before he was able to sit up for brief periods.

On February 9th the King left Buckingham Palace for Craigweil House, Bognor, still very weak, but on the way towards recovery. Sea air and sunshine worked marvels, and on May 15th His Majesty left Bognor for Windsor, better in health—as the Prince of Wales stated a few weeks ago—than he had been before his illness.

THE TRUTH, AND THE WHOLE TRUTH.

MEANING OF OFFICIAL STATEMENT.

The Times Medical Correspondent writes regarding the King's feverish attack:—Every sign of illness in the King must necessarily cause anxiety, after the long and dangerous struggle through which His Majesty passed during the winter. For the moment, however, it is understood that the distinguished doctors who are in attendance can detect no recurrence of the particular symptoms which were manifest at that time. The official statement conveys the literal truth, and the whole truth.

The King, who has been feeling unwell during the last three or four days, is suffering from a feverish attack, and that is all there is to be said about it. The tests which have, doubtless, been taken already will reveal in time the origin of the infection. There is no reason to suppose that His Majesty's condition has been impaired in any way by the pressure of public affairs or by the anticipation of the duties which would naturally fall upon him next week.

BULLETIN MAY BE ISSUED.

Nurse Black, who has been in attendance on the King since he was taken ill last November, is still with him. In view of the slight relapse which he has shown this week further nursing help has been summoned.

The *Daily Mail* understands that a bulletin may be issued to-day.

BOMB EXPLOSION IN KABUL.

HABIBULLAH'S NARROW ESCAPE.

From Reuter's Correspondent.

PESHAWAR, Thursday.

A message from Kabul says that a terrible explosion occurred there on the 26th May, when Habibullah, the present Amir—otherwise known as Bacha-i-Saqao—was inspecting his troops. One was killed and several were badly injured. Habibullah himself had a narrow escape. The bomb was discovered buried in the earth, and the ground in several places is thought to have been mined lately with live bombs. The whole thing is regarded as part of a secret conspiracy against Habibullah.

GERMAN VISITORS TO IRISH FREE STATE.

A party of sixteen German tourists has just returned to Bremen after paying a visit to the Irish Free State. The tour, which was the first of its kind, and which was instituted by the North German Lloyd Line, in co-operation with their Irish agents, the Limerick Steamship Company, Ltd., was eminently successful, and included visits to Cork, Garinish Island, Kenmore, Killarney, Limerick, Galway, Connemara and Clifden.

The visitors expressed themselves astonished and delighted at the grandeur and splendour of the wild beauty of the West, and express their indebtedness to the organisers of the tour, and to the Great Southern Railway Company, which placed a coach at their disposal on the journey from Killarney to Limerick, and again from Limerick to Galway.

THE THANKSGIVING SERVICE.

ITS FORM AND ORDER.

The "form and order" of Service to be used at the Thanksgiving Service in Westminster Abbey on Sunday, June 16th, was issued by the Oxford University Press yesterday. The Service is:—

"In thanksgiving to Almighty God for His good providence whereby our most gracious Sovereign has been delivered from severe illness, to the comfort of the whole realm, and for the signal love and loyalty of his people, made manifest in the time of trouble."

At the opening of the Service, while the King and Queen are being conducted to their places, the choir will sing:—

"I vow to thee, my country, all earthly things above,
Entire and whole and perfect, the service of my love."

This will be followed by the singing of "All people that on earth do dwell." Then the Dean will say, "God save the King, "God save this realm," "God give us thankful hearts," and the congregation will reply with the first verse of the National Anthem.

The invitations to prayer and thanksgiving have been specially selected from the Psalms and Isaiah.

The Archbishop of Canterbury will say prayers of thankfulness for the King's recovery and for the "gifts of strength and courage" to the Queen.

The Dean will say prayers for the sick and suffering and for the British Empire.

After the Archbishop of Canterbury has given the Benediction, "Praise, my soul, the King of Heaven," will be sung. As the King and Queen leave the church the choir and congregation will sing a hymn.

EARTHQUAKE IN ARGENTINA.

TWENTY LIVES LOST; VILLAGES DAMAGED.

From Reuter's Correspondent.

BUENOS AIRES, Thursday.

A message from Mendoza states that twenty persons have perished in an earthquake which has destroyed half of the village of Villa Real.

The village of Las Malvinas also has been stricken.

A later telegram says:—It now appears that the provinces of Mendoza, San Luis and Cordoba were affected by the earthquake. Doctors from San Rafael, Mendoza, are proceeding to the stricken district.

Railway and telegraphic communication are interrupted, and the news is coming in a very confused form.

No further details are as yet available.

According to the latest reports, half of the houses in Villa Real have collapsed. In addition to the killed, over forty persons have been injured.

SHOCKS IN NORWAY.

ARENDAL-ENGLAND CABLE BROKEN.

From Reuter's Correspondent.

OSLO, Thursday.

The seismological station at Bergen registered an earthquake at 12.32 a.m. to-day.

The shock was felt in some places along the south-western coast of Norway. It was strong enough to waken sleeping people, but it did no damage on shore.

The telegraph cable between Arendal and England is broken eighty-five miles from land, and it is possible that the fracture was caused by the earthquake.

MIDLETON'S FIRE HOSE.

CONTRACT FOR ENGLISH FIRM.

At the weekly meeting of the Midleton (Co. Cork) Urban Council several tenders for a supply of 300 feet of hose for the local Fire Brigade were received from Irish firms, and among which was only one quotation from an English contractor. Samples of the article also were enclosed, and after being examined by the members, the Council unanimously rejected all the Irish quotations, holding that the material offered was not up to the standard required, and accepted the English tender, which was quoted at 1s. 6½d. per foot. Among the home tenders was one from the Local Government contractors.

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LABOUR GAINS.

C.—Conservative.
Lab.—Labour.
L.—Liberal
Const.—Constitutionalist.
Ind.—Independent.
Com.—Communist.
Co-operative candidates are classed as Lab.

An asterisk indicates that the candidate represented the same constituency in the last Parliament.

A dagger indicates that the candidate sat for another constituency in the last Parliament.

London.

BATTERSEA—North.
W. S. SANDERS (Lab.) 13,265
Cdr. A. Marsden (C.) 10,833
*S. Saklatvala (Com.) 6,554
T. P. Brogan (L.) 4,513
Majority 2,432

CAMBERWELL—North-West.
Dr. H. B. MORGAN (Lab.) 12,213
*E. T. Campbell (C.) 9,808
H. Harcourt (L.) 5,559
Majority 2,405

DEPTFORD—Greenwich.
E. T. PALMER (Lab.) 20,328
*Sir George Hume (C.) 16,710
W. P. Campbell (L.) 6,870
Majority 3,618

FULHAM—West.
Dr. G. E. SPERO (Lab.) 16,190
*Sir Cyril Cobbe (C.) 13,979
G. A. Gale (L.) 5,920
Majority 2,211

HACKNEY—Central.
F. C. W[illegible]KINS (Lab.) 12,462
A. C[illegible]ssom (C.) 10,814
L. B. Franklin (L.) 10,186
Majority 1,648

HACKNEY—South.
HERBERT MORRISON (Lab.) 15,590
Sir Tresham Lever (C.) 8,222
Miss M. Morgan Gibbon (L.) 6,302
J. T. Murphy (Com.) 331
Majority 7,368

HAMMERSMITH—South.
DAN CHATER (Lab.) 12,630
Sir John Ferguson (C.) 12,218
Captain J. J. Davies (L.) 3,796
Majority 412

SOUTHWARK—North.
GEORGE ISAACS (Lab.) 9,660
*E. A. Strauss (Lib.) 9,228
Marcus Samuel (C.) 2,198
Majority 432

English Boroughs.

ACCRINGTON.
TOM SNOWDEN (Lab.) 25,336
*J. Hugh Edwards (L.) 23,110
Majority 2,226

BLACKBURN—Two Seats.
Mrs. MARY HAMILTON (Lab.) 37,256
T. H. GILL (Lab.) 35,723
*Sir Sydney Henn (C.) 35,249
Viscount Erleigh (L.) 34,504
Majority 2,007
Two Labour gains.

BIRMINGHAM—Yardley.
A. G. GOSSLING (Lab.) 23,956
E. W. Salt (C.) 19,590
C. A. Beaumont (L.) 5,500
Majority 4,366

BIRMINGHAM—Duddeston.
G. F. SAWYER (Lab.) 18,204
*J. B. Burman (C.) 11,639
Majority 6,565

BIRMINGHAM—Aston.
JOHN STRACHEY (Lab.) 18,672
Capt. J. P. Whiteley (C.) 17,114
Majority 1,558

BIRMINGHAM—Deritend.
F. LONGDEN (Lab.) 16,932
*J. S. Crooke (C.) 14,165
Mrs. B. Hornabrook (L.) 2,258
Majority 2,767

BIRMINGHAM—Ladywood.
W. WHITELEY (Lab.) 16,447
Geoffrey Lloyd (C.) 16,436
Majority 11

BIRMINGHAM—Erdington.
C. J. SIMMONS (Lab.) 20,665
*Rt. Hon. Sir Arthur Steel-Maitland (C.) 20,532
H. J. H. Dyer (L.) 6,395
Majority 133

BRADFORD—East.
Right Hon. F. W. JOWETT (Lab.) 21,398
*T. D. Fenby (L.) 17,701
Majority 3,697

BOOTLE.
J. KINLEY (Lab.) 15,294
*Lieut.-Col. Sir Vivian Henderson (C.) 14,263
E. E. Edwards (L.) 5,523
Majority 1,031

BRISTOL—Central.
J. H. ALPASS (Lab.) 20,749
*Sir Thomas Inskip (C.) 16,524
Majority 4,225

BRISTOL—North.
WALTER AYLES (Lab.) 18,619
*Capt. the Right Hon. F. E. Guest (Ind. L.) 12,932
J. O. M. Skelton (L.) 6,713
Majority 5,687

BRISTOL—South.
A. G. WALKDEN (Lab.) 23,591
*Sir Beddoe Rees (L.) 18,194
Majority 5,397

BIRKENHEAD—West.
W. H. EGAN (Lab.) 15,634
*Captain E. Nuttall (C.) 13,410
R. P. Fletcher (L.) 4,946
Majority 2,224

BRADFORD—North.
NORMAN ANGELL (Lab.) 17,873
*E. Ramsden (C.) 15,413
J. B. Hobman (L.) 10,290
Majority 2,460

DUDLEY.
OLIVER BALDWIN (Lab.) 13,551
*Cyril E. Lloyd (C.) 10,508
T. I. Clough (L.) 4,599
Majority 3,043

ECCLES.
D. MORT (Lab.) 20,489
*A. Bethel (C.) 12,252
Handel Wilde (L.) 8,374
Majority 8,237

LIVERPOOL—Everton.
DERWENT HALL CAINE (Lab.) 14,234
Miss Margaret Beavan (C.) 12,667
Majority 1,567

LIVERPOOL—Kirkdale.
E. SANDHAM (Lab.) 15,226
R. Rankin (C.) 14,429
Majority 797

LEICESTER—East.
E. F. WISE (Lab.) 22,533
*Capt. J. Loder (C.) 13,801
F. Lawson (L.) 8,054
Majority 8,732

MANCHESTER—Hulme.
A. McELWEE (Lab.) 15,053
*Col. Sir Joseph Nall (C.) 12,588
H. Allan (L.) 6,726
Majority 2,465

MIDDLESEX—Enfield.
W. W. HENDERSON (Lab.) 14,427
*Lt.-Col R. V. K. Applin (C.) 14,169
C. H. Durrad-Lang (L.) 4,736
Majority 258

PORTSMOUTH—Central.
W. G. HALL (Lab.) 15,153
Sir Thomas Comyn-Platt (C.) 13,628
Lieut.-Colonel C. W. Cohen (L.) 6,993
Majority 1,525

PLYMOUTH—Drake.
J. J. MOSES (Lab.) 16,684
*Sir A. Shirley Benn (C.) 14,673
Hugh Pratt (L.) 5,309
Majority 2,011

READING.
Dr. SOMERVILLE HASTINGS (Lab.) 23,281
*H. G. Williams (C.) 22,419
Rev. Dugald MacFadyen (L.) 7,733
Majority 1,862

ROSSENDALE.
A. LAW (Lab.) 14,624
E. Bayliss (L.) 13,747
†Sir Wilfrid Sugden (C.) 13,225
Majority 877

BATLEY AND MORLEY.
BEN TURNER (Lab.) 24,621
*W. Forrest (L.) 17,641
Majority 6,980

ROCHESTER—Chatham.
FRANK MARKHAM (Lab.) 13,007
*Col. J. T. C. Moore-Brabazon (C.) 12,221
George Bryans (L.) 5,294
Majority 786

SALFORD—North.
BEN TILLETT (Lab.) 17,333
Dr. Hagen Guest (C.) 13,607
J. Rothwell (L.) 6,609
Majority 3,726

SALFORD—South.
J. TOOLE (Lab.) 20,930
*E. A. Radford (C.) 16,846
Majority 3,964

SALFORD—West.
A. W. HAYCOCK (Lab.) 15,547
*Lieut.-Commander F. W. Astbury (C.) 15,289
Miss M. Grant (L.) 5,614
Majority 258

STOCKTON-ON-TEES.
F. F. RILEY (Lab.) 18,951
*H. Macmillan (C.) 16,572
Cecil Hayes (L.) 10,407
Majority 2,379

SHEFFIELD—Central.
P. C. HOFFMAN (Lab.) 19,183
R. Warde Aldam (C.) 13,284
Majority 5,899

SHEFFIELD—Park.
G. LATHAN (Lab.) 20,304
*R. Storry-Deans (C.) 15,597
E. E. Dalton (L.) 5,560
Majority 6,707

TOTTENHAM—South.
F. MESSER (Lab.) 14,423
*Major P. B. Malone (C.) 9,701
W. Stonestreet (L.) 6,407
H. Sara (Com.) 490
Majority 4,722

WAKEFIELD.
G. H. SHERWOOD (Lab.) 13,363
*R. G. Ellis (C.) 10,180
L. Parrish (L.) 3,875
Majority 3,213

WALSALL.
J. J. McSHANE (Lab.) 20,524
*W. Preston (C.) 15,818
Rt. Hon. T. A. MacNamara (L.) 15,425
Majority 4,706

WARRINGTON.
C. DUKES (Lab.) 21,610
Noel Goldie, K.C. (C.) 18,025
Miss Alison Garland (L.) 3,070
Majority 3,585

YORK.
F. G. BURGESS (Lab.) 20,663
*Sir John Marriott (C.) 17,363
Douglas Crockatt (L.) 7,907
Majority 3,300

WOLVERHAMPTON—West.
W. J. BROWN (Lab.) 21,103
*Sir Robert Bird (C.) 17,237
G. H. Roberts (Lib.) 4,580
Majority 3,866

WALTHAMSTOW—East.
H. W. WALLACE (Lab.) 11,039
†Rt. Hon. J. Fitzalan Hope (C.) 9,655
Dr. Joseph Bridges (L.) 7,145
Majority 1,374

English Counties.

KENT—Dartford.
J. E. MILLS (Lab.) 26,871
A. Edwards (C.) 16,568
J. W. Williamson (L.) 9,689
Majority 10,303

MIDDLESEX—Acton.
J. F. SHILLAKER (Lab.) 13,206
*Sir Harry Brittain (C.) 12,739
F. Medlicott (L.) 5,981
Majority 467

Welsh Boroughs.

NEWPORT.
JAMES WALKER (Lab.) 18,853
*Reginald Clarry (C.) 15,941
S. I. Cohen (L.) 12,735
Majority 2,812

SWANSEA—West.
H. W. SAMUEL (Lab.) 13,268
Lt.-Col. Charles Kerr (L.) 12,625
A. E. Wynne (C.) 6,794
Majority 643

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Majority 418

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*PERCY A. HARRIS (L.) 8,109
C. J. Kelly (Lab.) 6,849
Dr. R. Dunstan (Com.) 1,268
H. J. Malone (C.) 1,365
Majority 1,260

BERMONDSEY—West.
*DR. A. SALTER (Lab.) 13,231
Leonard Stein (L.) 4,865
Colonel H. G. Butcher (C.) 3,852
Majority 8,366

BERMONDSEY—Rotherhithe.
*BEN SMITH (Lab.) 14,664
J. G. Braithwaite (C.) 4,594
Miss Dora West (L.) 4,556
Majority 10,070

CAMBERWELL—North.
*C. G AMMON (Lab.) 13,051
L. St. Clare Grondona (C.) 5,225
H. J. Edwards (L.) 4,244
Majority 7,823

CAMBERWELL—Peckham.
†JOHN BECKETT (Lab.) 15,751
Dr. J. D. Cooke (C.) 10,246
Ivor Phillips (L.) 6,187
Majority 5,505

CAMBERWELL—Dulwich.
*Sir FREDERICK HALL (C.) 15,009
Dr. C. A. Smith (Lab.) 9,309
C. R. Cooke Taylor (L.) 6,442
Majority 5,700

CHELSEA.
*Rt. Hon. Sir SAMUEL HOARE (C.) 15,480
Rev. A. G. Prichard (Lab.) 6,645
I. A. Wilhams (L.) 4,360
Majority 8,835

CITY OF LONDON (2).
*Sir VANSITTART BOWATER (C.) 16,149
*E. GRENFELL (C.) 16,092
T. Owen Jacobsen (L.) 4,579
Majority 11,570

FULHAM—East.
*Sir KENYON VAUGHAN-MORGAN (C.) 15,130
J. Palmer (Lab.) 13,425
J. H. Greenwood (L.) 5,651
Majority 1,705

HACKNEY—North.
*Captain A. HUDSON (C.) 11,199
F. G. Bowles (Lab.) 10,333
John H. Harris (L.) 9,844
Majority 866

HAMPSTEAD—Holborn.
*STUART BEVAN, K.C. (C.) 10,093
F. W. Hickinbottom (Lab.) 4,530
T. E. Morton (L.) 3,150
Majority 5,563

HAMMERSMITH—North.
*J. P. GARDNER (Lab.) 17,601
Sir Marshall Hays (C.) 13,744
Majority 3,857

LEWISHAM—West.
*Sir P. DAWSON (C.) 20,830
Mrs. C. M. Wadham (Lab.) 10,958
A. R. N. Roberts (L.) 10,580
Majority 9,872

LEWISHAM—East.
*Lieutenant-Colonel Sir ASSHETON POWNALL (C.) 23,208
J. C. Wilmot (Lab.) 22,80
Sir Edward Penton (L.) 8,729
Majority 402

PADDINGTON—North.
B. BRACKEN (C.) 13,876
J. W. Gordon (Lab.) 13,348
R. Myer (L.) 6,723
Majority 528

POPLAR—South.
*S. MARCH (Lab.) 19,696
H. Heathcote Williams (L.) 7,185
Elliott Gorst (C.) 3,532
Majority 12,511

POPLAR—Bow and Bromley.
*GEORGE LANSBURY (Lab.) 20,119
A. W. Goodman (C.) 8,852
Majority 11,267

St. MARYLEBONE.
*Right Hon. Sir RENNELL RODD (C.) 26,247
David Ross (Lab.) 10,960
C. M. Picciotto (L.) 5,520
Majority 15,287

STOKE NEWINGTON.
*Sir GEORGE JONES (C.) 9,030
Rev. Dr. F. W. Norwood (L.) 7,958
Majority 1,072

SOUTHWARK—South-East.
*T. E. NAYLOR (Lab.) 13,527
W. J. Squire (L.) 4,766
Lieut.-Col. E. G. Powell (C.) 4,086
Majority 8,761

SOUTHWARK—Central.
*HARRY DAY (Lab.) 13,318
Lieut.-Col. E. H. Keeling (C.) 6,256
J. R. Want (L.) 5,878
Majority 7,062

WESTMINSTER—Abbey.
*O. W. NICHOLSON (C.) 18,195
J. H. Macdonnell (Lab.) 6,406
Majority 11,789

WESTMINSTER—St. George's.
*Right Hon. Sir LAMING WORTHINGTON-EVANS (C.) 22,448
J. Butler (Lab.) 6,294
Majority 16,154

WOOLWICH—West.
*Right Hon. Sir KINGSLEY WOOD (C.) 17,296
W. Barefoot (Lab.) 16,964
A. S. Philipps (L.) 4,140
Majority 332

WOOLWICH—East.
*H. SNELL (Lab.) 20,447
E. S. Shrapnell-Smith (C.) 11,906
Majority 8,541

English Boroughs.

ASHTON-UNDER-LYNE.
*A. BELLAM (Lab.) 13,170
Colonel J. Broadbent (C.) 9,763
W. G. Greenwood (L.) 6,593
Majority 3,407

BATH.
*Hon. C. W. BAILLIE HAMILTON (C.) 17,545
S. R. Daniels (L.) 11,485
G. G. Desmond (Lab.) 8,769
Majority 6,360

BARNSLEY.
*J. POTTS (Lab.) 21,855
Right Hon. Sir William Sutherland (L.) 12,517
W. Craven Ellis (C.) 9,255
Majority 9,338

BARROW-IN-FURNESS.
*J. BROMLEY (Lab.) 19,798
K. McD. Cameron (C.) 15,551
Majority 4,247

BURNLEY.
*Right Hon. ARTHUR HENDERSON (Lab.) 28,091
S. I. Fairbairn (C.) 20,137
A. J. Glyn Edwards (L.) 12,502
Majority 7,954

BURY.
*Lieut.-Col. C. AINSWORTH (C.) 14,845
J. Bell (Lab.) 13,175
C. Ickringill (L.) 7,160
Majority 1,670

BIRMINGHAM—Edgbaston.
*Right Hon. NEVILLE CHAMBERLAIN (C.) 23,350
Major W. H. D. Caple (Lab.) 8,590
Reginald Young (L.) 4,720
Majority 14,760

BIRMINGHAM—West.
*Rt. Hon. Sir AUSTEN CHAMBERLAIN (C.) 16,862
O. G. Willey (Lab.) 16,819
Majority 43

BIRMINGHAM—Moseley.
P. J. HANNON (C.) 33,820
Dr. F. G. Bushnell (Lab.) 15,733
Arthur Mesk (L.) 9,388
George Bridgen (Left Wing Lab.) 625
Majority 18,087

BIRMINGHAM—Sparkbrook.
*Rt. Hon. L. S. AMERY (C.) 15,867
Allan Young (Lab.) 12,875
T. F. Duggan (L.) 5,645
Majority 2,992

BIRMINGHAM—Handsworth.
*Cmdr. O. LOCKER LAMPSON (C.) 22,035
L. A. Fenn (Lab.) 11,959
A. G. Bagnall (L.) 6,857
Majority 10,076

BRADFORD—South.
*W. HIRST (Lab.) 23,251
G. W. Ferrand (C.) 12,279
F. Ogden (L.) 12,050
Majority 10,972

BRADFORD—Central.
W. LEACH (Lab.) 24,876
*L.-Col. A. Gadie (C.) 17,265
Majority 7,611

BRISTOL—East.
*WALTER BAKER (Lab.) 24,197
C. G. Spencer (L.) 12,576
Majority 11,621

BRISTOL—West.
*C. T. CULVERWELL (C.) 25,416
Lady Clare Annesley (Lab.) 11,951
W. N. Marcy (L.) 9,909
Majority 13,458

BLACKPOOL.
*Sir WALTER DE FRECE (C.) 32,912
M. E. Mitchell (L.) 25,374
E. Machin (Lab.) 12,049
Majority 7,538

CHELTENHAM.
*Sir WALTER PRESTON (C.) 15,279
F. W. Raffety (L.) 8,533
W. Pigott (Lab.) 4,920
Majority 6,746

DEWSBURY.
*BEN RILEY (Lab.) 14,420
R. F. Walker (L.) 10,607
J. W. Shuttleworth (C.) 6,175
Majority 3,813

DARLINGTON.
*A. SHEPHERD (Lab.) 17,061
Viscount Castlereagh (C.) 15,596
J. J. Richardson (L.) 5,149
Majority 1,465

DEPTFORD.
*Right Hon. C. W. BOWERMAN (Lab.) 26,848
E. E. Gates (C.) 14,832
C. Bevan (L.) 6,935
Majority 12,016

EXETER.
*Sir ROBERT NEWMAN (Ind. C.) 16,642
J. Lloyd Jones (Lab.) 9,361
G. D. Roberts (C.) 7,622
Majority 7,281

EALING.
*Rt. Hon. Sir HERBERT NIELD, K.C. (C.) 20,503
J. W. Maycock (Lab.) 9,093
A. P. Grundy (L.) 8,042
Majority 11,410

EDMONTON.
*F. A. BROAD (Lab.) 17,555
G. W. S. Jarrett (C.) 12,044
Majority 5,511

GLOUCESTER.
H. L. BOYCE (C.) 11,041
H. Nixon (Lab.) 10,548
T. W. Casey (L.) 6,589
Majority 493

GRIMSBY.
W. J. WOMERSLEY (C.) 27,011
Ernest Marklew (Lab.) 22,254
Majority 4,757

HASTINGS.
*Rt. Hon. Lord EUSTACE PERCY (C.) 15,028
T. A. Spearing (L.) 8,004
Basil Noble (Lab.) 6,516
Majority 7,024

HAMPSTEAD.
*G. BALFOUR (C.) 23,370
F. E. Dawkins (Lab.) 8,473
L. Freedman (L.) 8,273
Majority 14,897

HORNSEY.
*Captain EUAN WALLACE (C.) 25,540
W. Thomson (L.) 16,029
F. H. Wiltshire (Lab.) 8,529
Majority 9,511

HYTHE.
*Sir PHILIP SASSOON (C.) 12,982
Miss Hester Holland (L.) 6,912
Miss G. M. Coleman (Lab.) 2,597
Majority 6,070

HALIFAX.
*A. W. LONGBOTTOM (Lab.) 23,776
Gilbert Gledhill (C.) 16,713
Elliott Dodds (L.) 15,823
Majority 7,063

HUDDERSFIELD.
*J. HUDSON (Lab.) 25,966
William Mabane (L.) 21,398
Sir Enoch Hill (C.) 20,361
Majority 4,568

IPSWICH.
*Sir JOHN GANZONI (C.) 18,527
R. F. Jackson (Lab.) 17,592
F. C. Darvall (L.) 16,559
Majority 935

KINGSTON-ON-THAMES.
*F. G. PENNY (C.) 20,911
J. W. Fawcett (Lab.) 8,903
F. J. Powell (L.) 8,796
Majority 12,008

LIVERPOOL—East Toxteth.
*Hon. HENRY MOND (C.) 17,678
J. J. Cleary (Lab.) 9,504
A. Roberts (L.) 9,287
Majority 7,774

LIVERPOOL—West Derby.
*Sir JOHN ALLEN (C.) 16,794
W. H. Moore (Lab.) 14,124
A. P. Jones (L.) 8,368
Majority 2,670

LIVERPOOL—Fairhold.
*Major J. B. COHEN (C.) 16,436
J. H. Sutcliffe (Lab.) 14,614
Majority 1,822

LIVERPOOL—Edge Hill.
*J. H. HAYES (Lab.) 17,650
Sir Hugo Rutherford (C.) 11,622
A. D. Dennis (L.) 2,581
Majority 6,028

LIVERPOOL—Exchange.
Sir JAMES REYNOLDS (C.) 17,179
W. A. Robinson (Lab.) 16,970
Majority 209

LIVERPOOL—West Toxteth.
*J. GIBBINS (Lab.) 19,988
G. Watson (C.) 16,309
Majority 3,679

LIVERPOOL—Wavertree.
*J. A. TINNE (C.) 16,880
S. L. Treleavan (Lab.) 13,585
H. R. Rathbone (L.) 11,723
Majority 3,295

LIVERPOOL—Walton.
R. PURBRICK (C.) 16,623
F. A. P. Rowe (Lab.) 16,395
G. H. Howard-Jones (L.) 5,857
Majority 228

LEICESTER—South.
*Capt. C. WATERHOUSE (C.) 18,343
H. B. Usher (Lab.) 16,198
H. G. Purchase (L.) 8,811
Majority 2,145

LEIGH.
*J. TINKER (Lab.) 26,635
C. H. Grundy (C.) 10,942
T. Hardy (L.) 8,435
Majority 14,693

LEICESTER—West.
*F. W. PETHICK LAWRENCE (Lab.) 22,635
P. V. Emrys Evans (C.) 10,591
C. W. Hartshorn (L.) 7,617
Majority 11,944

LINCOLN.
*R. A. TAYLOR (Lab.) 15,176
B. G. L. Vachell (C.) 11,970
R. Pattinson (L.) 7,719
Majority 3,198

MANCHESTER—Ardwick.
*T. LOWTH (Lab.) 20,041
Miss M. L. K. Jones (C.) 13,177
Majority 6,864

MANCHESTER—Rusholme.
Sir BOYD MERRIMAN (C.) 14,230
Philip Guedalla (L.) 10,958
J. Adshead (Lab.) 8,080
Majority 3,272

MANCHESTER—Exchange.
*E. B. FIELDEN (C.) 13,691
R. N. Barclay (L.) 11,112
A. Moss (Lab.) 9,500
Majority 2,579

MANCHESTER—Moss Side.
*Sir GERALD HURST (C.) 11,625
†A. A. Purcell (Lab.) 9,522
T. R. Ackroyd (L.) 8,191
Majority 2,103

MANCHESTER—Clayton.
*J. E. SUTTON (Lab.) 21,103
W. H. Flanagan (C.) 14,062
C. H. Travis (L.) 3,207
Majority 7,041

MANCHESTER—Gorton.
*J. COMPTON (Lab.) 22,056
Brig.-Gen. A. C. Critchley (C.) 10,664
Mrs. Beatrice Bayfield (L.) 3,385
Majority 11,392

MANCHESTER—Platting.
*Right Hon. J. R. CLYNES (Lab.) 22,969
A. E. L. Chorlton (C.) 16,393
J. J. Vaughan (Com.) 401
Majority 6,646

MIDDLESBROUGH East.
*Miss ELLEN WILKINSON (Lab.) 12,215
E. J. Young (L.) 9,016
J. W. Brown (C.) 8,278
Majority 3,199

MIDDLESBROUGH—West.
*F. K. GRIFFITH (L.) 14,674
A. R. Ellis (Lab.) 13,328
A. E. Baucher (C.) 8,137
Majority 1,346

NEWCASTLE—North.
*Sir N. GRATTAN DOYLE (C.) 17,587
E. Scott (Lab.) 7,505
Dr. J. R. Creighton (L.) 6,800
Majority 10,081

NEWCASTLE-ON-TYNE—West.
*J. PALIN (Lab.) 16,856
Dr. J. W. Leech (C.) 14,083
John Dodd (L.) 5,257
Majority 2,768

NEWCASTLE-ON-TYNE—Central.
*Rt. Hon. Sir CHARLES TREVELYAN (Lab.) 17,580
Viscount Adare (C.) 13,161
Majority 4,419

NEWCASTLE-UNDER-LYME.
*Colonel the Right Hon. J. C. WEDGWOOD (Lab.) 20,931
C. K. Tatham (C.) 9,011
Majority 11,920

NELSON AND COLNE.
*A. GREENWOOD (Lab.) 28,533
Linton Thorp (C.) 18,236
Majority 10,297

OXFORD.
*R. C. BOURNE (C.) 14,638
Dr. R. O. Moon (L.) 8,581
J. L. Etty (Lab.) 4,694
Majority 6,057

PLYMOUTH—Sutton.
*Viscountess ASTOR (C.) 16,625
W. Westwood (Lab.) 16,414
T. H. Aggett (L.) 5,430
Majority 211

PORTSMOUTH—South.
*Major Sir HERBERT CAYZER (C.) 15,068
Miss Jessie Stephen (Lab.) 10,127
F. J. Privett (Ind. C.) 9,505
Brig.-Gen. C. M. C. Rudkin (L.) 6,214
C. Majority 4,941

PLYMOUTH—Devonport.
*L. HORE-BELISHA (L.) 15,233
S. Gluckstein (C.) 10,588
The Rev. Donald Fraser (Lab.) 7,428
Majority 4,545

PORTSMOUTH—North.
*Major Sir BERTRAM FALLE (C.) 15,352
E. Archbold (Lab.) 12,475
A. W. Palmer (L.) 6,643
Majority 2,877

ROCHDALE.
*W. T. KELLY (Lab.) 22,060
J. Ramsay Muir (L.) 16,957
Sir John Haslam (C.) 15,962
Majority 5,103

ROTHERHAM.
*F. W. LINDLEY (Lab.) 26,937
H. P. Latham (C.) 10,101
Reeves Charlesworth (L.) 7,534
Majority 16,836

ROCHESTER—Gillingham.
†SIR ROBERT GOWER (C.) 13,612
G. P. Blizard (Lab.) 11,207
Lieut.-Col. R. Tyrer (L.) 3,856
Majority 2,405

RICHMOND (SURREY).
*Sir NEWTON MOORE (C.) 23,148
S. Butler (Lab.) 9,520
W. H. Williamson (L.) 6,802
Majority 13,628

ST. HELENS.
*J. SEXTON (Lab.) 27,665
Captain Spencer (C.) 19,560
Majority 8,105

SHEFFIELD—Hallam.
*L. W. SMITH (C.) 18,920
Basil Rawson (Lab.) 12,133
Majority 6,787

SHEFFIELD—Ecclesall.
†Sir SAMUEL ROBERTS (C.) 17,165
H. Samuels (Lab.) 7,983
R. S. Wells (L.) 5,898
Majority 9,182

SHEFFIELD—Brightside.
*A. PONSONBY (Lab.) 20,277
Lieut.-Com. R. J. Money (C.) 9,828
W. A. Lambert (L.) 6,612
Majority 10,449

LIBERAL GAINS.

London.

BETHNAL GREEN—North-East.
Major H. L. NATHAN (L.) 11,600
*W. Windsor (Lab.) 11,101
Captain J. A. Bell (C.) 1,908
Majority 589

English Boroughs.

BIRKENHEAD—East.
H. GRAHAM WHITE (L.) 13,157
†C. E. R. Brocklebank (C.) 11,860
J. Coulthard (Lab.) 11,654
Majority 1,297

GREAT YARMOUTH.
ARTHUR HARBORD (L.) 13,147
*Sir F. Meyer (C.) 11,570
G. F. Johnson (Lab.) 5,347
Majority 1,577

MANCHESTER—Withington.
E. D. SIMON (L.) 20,948
*Sir Thomas Watts (C.) 19,063
Dr. Joseph Robinson (Lab.) 7,853
Majority 1,885

SHEFFIELD—Attercliffe.
*C. H. WILSON (Lab.) 19,152
W. B. Faraday (C.) 6,190
T. Neville (L.) 4,652
G. Fletcher (Com.) 1,731
Majority 12,962

SHEFFIELD—Hillsborough.
A. V. ALEXANDER (Lab.) 20,941
†Albert Harland (C.) 10,489
H. F. Morris (L.) 5,053
Majority 10,452

SOUTHPORT.
*Lieutenant-Colonel Sir GODFREY DALRYMPLE WHITE (C.) 21,161
Captain Cecil Ramage (L.) 17,220
A. L. Williams (Lab.) 5,380
Majority 3,947

SOUTHEND-ON-SEA.
*LADY IVEAGH (C.) 27,605
Hon. Dougall Meston (L.) 21,884
Majority 5,721

SMETHWICK.
*Sir OSWALD MOSLEY (Lab.) 19,550
Captain A. R. Wise (C.) 12,210
Miss M. E. Marshall (L.) 3,909
Majority 7,340

TYNEMOUTH.
*A. W. RUSSELL (C.) 11,785
R. Irvin (L.) 10,545
J. Stuart Barr (Lab.) 9,503
Majority 1,240

TOTTENHAM—North.
*R. C. MORRISON (Lab.) 20,884
Colonel H. J. Solomon (C.) 11,231
Hon. Angus Holden (L.) 6,535
Majority 9,653

THE HARTLEPOOLS.
W. G. HOWARD GRITTEN (C.) 17,271
Stephen Furness (L.) 17,133
G. Oliver (Lab.) 11,072
Majority 138

WALLASEY.
*Sir BURTON CHADWICK (C.) 21,456
Captain Hubert Phillips (L.) 13,628
J. D. Mack (Lab.) 11,544
Majority 7,828

WOLVERHAMPTON—East.
GEOFFREY MANDER (L.) 15,391
P. G. B. Hepburn (C.) 10,163
D. R. Williams (Lab.) 8,840
Majority 5,228

WOLVERHAMPTON—Bilston.
*J. BAKER (Lab.) 18,679
Major S. J. Thompson (C.) 13,635
G. Salter (L.) 4,475
Majority 5,044

WEST BROMWICH.
*Rt. Hon. F. O. ROBERTS (Lab.) 19,621
Captain J. I. Cheshire (C.) 10,943
W. Ramage (L.) 7,119
Majority 8,678

WIGAN.
*J. A. Parkinson (Lab.) 27,462
Ernest Barlow (C.) 18,144
Frank Bright (Com.) 1,307
Majority 9,318

WORCESTER.
*W. P. C. GREENE (C.) 13,181
K. Lindsay (Lab.) 8,206
R. R. Fairbairn (L.) 6,588
Majority 4,973

WILLESDEN—West.
*S. P. VIANT (Lab.) 20,583
M. McCorquodale (C.) 11,979
Lewis Leighton (L.) 6,038
Majority 8,604

WILLESDEN—East.
D. G. SOMERVILLE (C.) 17,090
W. Davies-Lloyd (Lab.) 13,977
M. Gordon Liverman (L.) 11,190
Majority 3,113

YORK—Doncaster.
*W. PALING (Lab.) 25,295
E. Phillips (C.) 11,016
J. T. Clarke (L.) 8,942
Majority 14,279

English Counties.

LANCASHIRE—Farnworth.
GUY

AgoMAY FÊTE : YACHTS IN THE THAMES

IN THE SHADOW OF BIG BEN.—The Clock Tower at Westminster, which to-day looms significant in the eyes of the British electorate.

A photograph taken at the meeting of the Co. Wicklow Agricultural Society in the Town Hall, Bray, on Wednesday. Included are Lord Ardee (President), Messrs. A. Byrne (Chairman), J. Hoey (Honorary Secretary), S. J. Delahunt, H. D. Prosser, J. J. Doyle, F. McCarthy and E. McGauran.

Mr. Samuel Bailie's Master Whippet clearing a hurdle in the Open Jumping event at the Royal Ulster Society's Show.

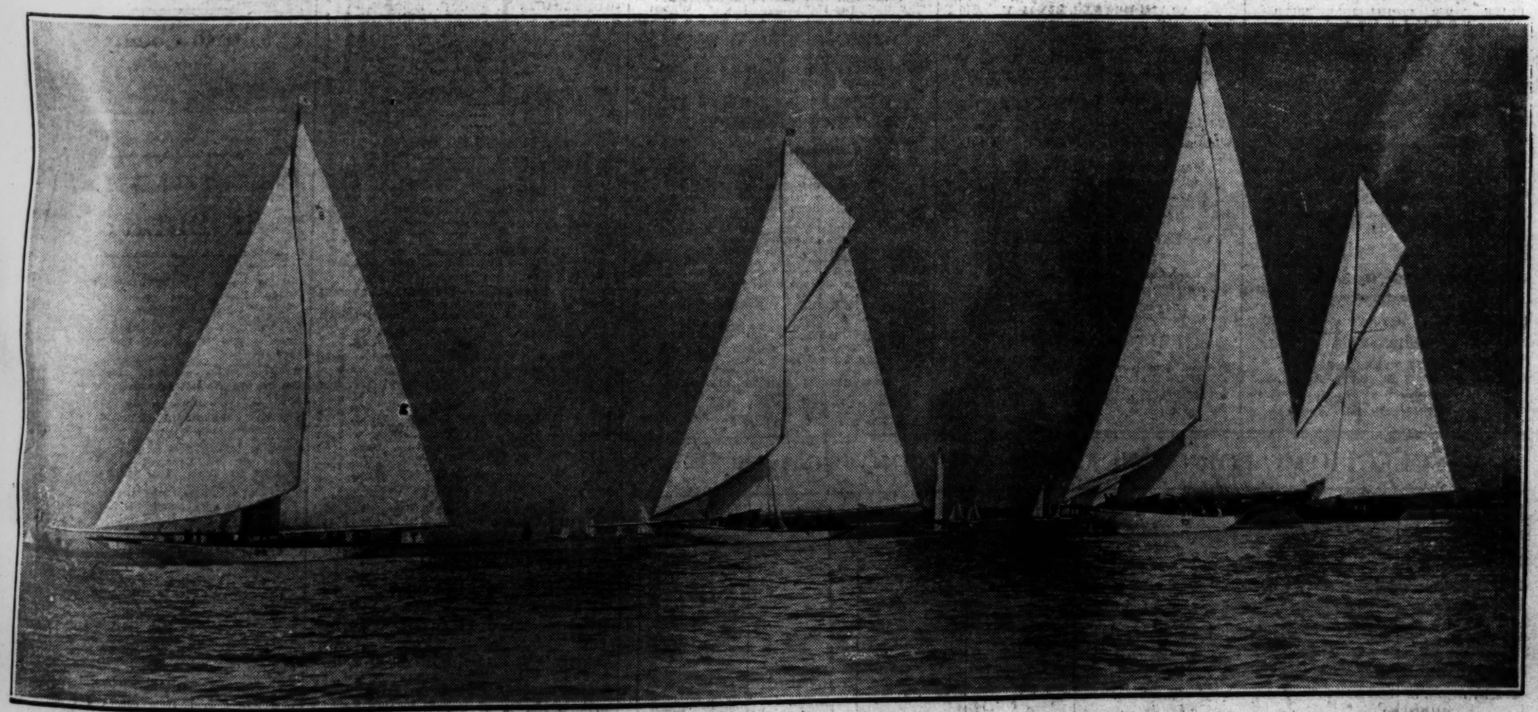
FOR THE SPORTS GIRL.—This blazer, cut on novel and simple lines in Eau-de-Nil green silk, adds a distinctive touch to a sports frock of white flannel, with a pleated skirt. A club tie completes the creation.

Helpers at the May Fête in the Provost's Garden, Trinity College, Dublin: Mr. I. S. Ruddell, Miss Pringle, Mrs. Rowlette, Mrs. Pringle and Mrs. FitzHerbert.

The Duke of Norfolk, Premier Duke and Hereditary Earl-Marshal of England, who came of age yesterday.

The Start of the Potato and Spoon Race at the May Fête yesterday.

ROYAL AIR FORCE COMPETITIONS.—Two machines crossing each other when only a few feet from the ground during crazy flying evolutions for the Sassoon Cup, at Northolt Aerodrome, Middlesex.



A quartette of big yachts competing in the Thames Estuary Race on Wednesday. Left to right: Sir William Berry's Cambria, Lord Waring's White Heather II., Sir A. Mortimer Singer's Astra and Sir Thomas Lipton's Shamrock.

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In addition the company will also operate a service from Dublin to Malahide via Donnycarney, Coolock and Balgriffin, passing the famous stone-roofed church of St. Dolough. The inter-availability of rail and road tickets will also apply to the new routes.

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GOSSIP FROM THE COURSE.

DERBY INVALIDS.

SALISBURY CUP CANDIDATES.

DONCASTER FANCIES.

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.
LONDON, Thursday Night.

To-day's bulletins about the Derby invalids are hopeful. Hunter's Moon, who, by the way, is to be accompanied to the post at Epsom by his stable companion, Bosworth, did a half-speed seven furlongs and pulled up seemingly sound. Osiris went a mile and showed no signs of lameness; while Craigdour did six furlongs, going freely and well.

The acceptances for the Derby, which appear in the *Calendar* this evening, number thirty-two, so that we are bound to see a large field. The present record number of runners is thirty. I notice that Empire Builder has been accepted with. The acceptance was, of course, declared for him before he ran in the Irish Two Thousand Guineas.

The *Calendar* contains an announcement that Ivor Anthony has taken out a licence to train under the Rules of Racing. This, of course, was necessary in the case of the Wroughton horses with important early engagements, like Brown Jack. I believe, however, that Ivor Anthony will permanently take over the stable of Aubrey Hastings.

RACING AT TWO VENUES.

There will be racing to-morrow at Salisbury and Doncaster, the Salisbury Cup being the chief event at the Southern meeting. Hercules is a likely runner for this, and should improve on his last performance in the Prince's Handicap at Gatwick, where he was fourth. Eileandonan has been sent from Newmarket to run, and he has been very consistent this season. Coster Boy has some pretensions, but the best should prove to be HERCULES.

Bridget Ford, who has won as the Bridge of Bath filly, is engaged in the Salisbury Foal Stakes, but may not give the weight to CEBRENUS, who ran a bit green when so much fancied at Manchester.

The Maiden Plate may be won by Lord Lonsdale's MARBLE.

There is a good handicap, the Doncaster Stakes, at the Northern meeting, and if ENNIS BRIDGE is started he should win. The Hopeful Stakes may be won by BLANDISHMENT, and the Zetland Maiden Plate by Lieut.-Colonel Loder's novice, MORE HASTE.

GALTEE MORE.

FORM HORSES.

DONCASTER.

2. 0—Beau Sabreur.
2.30—Pseudonym.
3. 0—Blue Drift.
3.30—Hindustan (nap).
4. 0—Pheldon.
4.30—Back Number.
5. 0—Corduroy.

SALISBURY.

1.30—Handsome.
2.15—Deslador.
2.45—Eileandonan.
3.15—Bridget Ford.
3.45—Benedictus.
4.15—Eskdale.
4.45—Ladies' First.

Eclipse.

SPECIAL SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

Daily Sketch :—Double—Chatsworth and Deslador.

Daily Mirror :—Double—Beau Sabreur and Blue Drift.

SPORTING GOSSIP

Change of Stables.

Big Business and Mustard Club have left M. C. Collins's stables to join Mr. J. J. Parkinson's string at Maddenstown Lodge, Curragh. Harum Scarum, from the same stable, has joined H. I. Ussher's team at Brackenstown, Swords, Co. Dublin.

Trainer and Jockey Cautioned.

After the race for the Brownstown Plate at the Curragh yesterday the Stewards called upon Captain D. Rogers, the trainer, and S. Sutton, the rider, of Eliza's Star, to explain the horse's running. Having heard same, they considered Sutton rode a very injudicious race, and cautioned both rider and trainer as to their future conduct.

Windsor Scratchings.

The following scratchings have been received from the Clerk of the Course at Windsor:—Speedy Plate, Dark Brilliance and Bank Note f.; Buckingham Selling, Cold Steel.

Reigh Count's Jockey.

J. Childs rode the American horse Reigh Count in his work at Newmarket yesterday morning. Reigh Count was stripped and sent a mile and a quarter with Gipsy King and F. Leader's Jack of Doris (Lowrey). He moved in good style, it is stated that J. Childs will have the mount on Reigh Count in his next race instead of C. Lang.

"Mobbing" Horses at Epsom.

In order to prevent the "mobbing" to which horses running at Epsom have been subjected in recent years between the paddock and the winning post, it has been found necessary to close the whole course to the public. The Stewards appeal to owners and trainers, who will benefit by this regulation, to give the public the fullest opportunity of seeing their horses by sending them into the parade ring as early as possible.

Palais Royal II. at Work.

The French horse Palais Royal II., last year's Cambridgeshire winner, who is in H. Braime's stables at Burbage, was ridden by F. Fox in a good striding gallop over a mile yesterday. He was accompanied by Quincampoix, Mutineer and Letoril, and all four horses moved freely and well. Palais Royal II. is being trained for the Ascot Gold Cup and will remain in England until after Goodwood.

Osiris Canters.

Major Courtauld's Derby colt Osiris showed no signs of his recent leg trouble in a mile canter at Newmarket yesterday, his action being perfect.

Cragadour Again Goes Well.

Cragadour, the Derby favourite, was sent a sharp six furlongs spin yesterday by J. Lawson, the Manton trainer. Lord Astor's colt again moved freely and well.

Ivor Anthony's Training Licence.

The *Racing Calendar* announces that Ivor Anthony, who for many years has acted as right-hand man to the late Hon. Aubrey Hastings, has been granted a licence to train under Rule 102 of the Rules of Racing.

Hunter's Moon Goes Well.

The Derby colt Hunter's Moon was given a nice half-speed gallop of seven furlongs yesterday morning, accompanied by Abbot's Pride. "The colt went on well," said the trainer, F. Butters, "and is progressing as satisfactorily as can be expected."

FREE CARTRIDGES FOR CLAY PIGEON SHOTS.

Messrs. T. Henshaw and Co. announce that a box of 25 cartridges will be given free to any competitor who scores a "possible" using Defiance or Climax Cartridges in any official competition or team match at any of the Association Clay Pigeon meetings mentioned hereunder.

This offer will only apply to competitions of ten birds or more. A competitor might thus win 50 cartridges in a ten bird competition where he scores a "possible" followed by another "possible" in the shoot off, provided the shoot off is also ten birds.

It is hoped by this means the clubs will obtain more entries for their competitions and that the low handicap man will find the cost of shooting in competition somewhat cheaper.

The Clay Pigeon meetings at which this offer will hold good are as follows:—

DUBLIN GUN CLUB, JUNE 2nd.
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CARLOW GUN CLUB, " 29th.
CARLOW GUN CLUB, " 30th.

A further list of fixtures will probably be issued at a later date. —(Advt.)

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THE CURRAGH.

RED CHARIOT WINS WATERFORD PLATE.

A SMART SELLING PLATER.

The Curragh wound up yesterday in the same brilliant weather which favoured the meeting throughout, and there was a very good attendance for a third afternoon. The Waterford Plate, the chief race of the day, which provided a very interesting contest, was won by Red Chariot, who got the better of a very close finish with Soldanel. The pair had finished second and third behind Star Eagle in the Baldoyle Derby, but now, as then, Soldanel would not put it all in at the finish, but for which the neck verdict against him would undoubtedly have been reversed.

SOLDANEL AGAIN DISAPPOINTS.

Prior to the start of the chief race Tomas Minden bolted, and, refusing to join the others at the post, the starter was compelled to overlook him. He consequently must not be considered as a runner. Red Chariot was in the van from the beginning, and, though both Soldanel and Golden Monarch joined him shortly after they turned into the straight, he was never actually headed. Soldanel repeatedly looked as if he would get his measure, but faded out again in the closing stage and suffered defeat by a neck. Golden Monarch, who was carrying 2lb. overweight as well as a 10lb. penalty, ran extremely well to finish within a length of Soldanel; but neither Bower of Roses nor Percival Boy ever held out any hope to their supporters.

Just as we were promised a fine set-to between Average and Good Thing for the Ballysax Hurdle Race the former came to grief at the final flight of timber, leaving Good Thing to score a runaway victory from Skidaw and Koscie's Star. Flying Top, the winner of a selling race at the last Leopardstown meeting, had a similarly easy task in the Brownstown Plate, and was again retained by her owner at a cost this time of 210 sovs.

AN OUTSIDER'S SUCCESS.

The Loughbrown Plate, another two-year-old event, was won by a rank outsider in Passem, who got the better of Glenford by a neck. This daughter of Passer, who was purchased by Mr. F. Clarke as a yearling for 40 guineas, won a race at the Leopardstown April meeting, but, as she was amiss prior to yesterday's race, little was thought of her chance, and odds of 100 to 8 were vainly tendered against her.

Only four runners turned out for the Offaly Plate, and the odds-on favourite, Son' West, once having disposed of Gold Chaser about two furlongs from home, never afterwards was troubled. A race of a more interesting description followed, when eight horses went to the seven furlongs post for the Welter Plate. The testing nature of this course was evidenced from the tired condition of the horses during the last furlong. Miss Marlhill and Athmoy had been prominent all the way, and were still disputing the lead when Sweet Loch Lomond joined in for a very fine finish, in which Miss Marlhill triumphed, and thus completed a double event for T. Burns's stable. Details:—

2.15—BALLYSAX PLATE of 100 sovs. A handicap hurdle race. 2 m.

Mr. C. Blackmore's b. m. GOOD THING, by By George!—Naughty Nan, a, 12-7 ..... D. Kirwan 1
Mr. W. P. Gill's SKIDAW, 5, 10-4 ..... D. Ward 2
Mr. H. O. McNally's KOSCIE'S STAR, 4, 11-2 ..... Jos. Canty 3

Mr. J. E. O'Brien's Barney O'Hea, 6, 11-13 ..... Owner 0
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's Average, 6, 11-7 ..... T. McNeill 0
Mr. G. Dodd's Abdulla, 4, 10-4 ..... J. F. Harty 0
(Winner trained by J. Kirwan at Gorseshridge.)

Betting—11 to 10 agst. Average, 2 to 1 Koscie's Star, 5 to 1 GOOD THING, 6 to 1 Skidaw, 8 to 1 Abdulla, 100 to 8 Barney O'Hea.

Good Thing set the pace to Average, Barney O'Hea, and Skidaw, with Koscie's Star last. Half a mile from home Average closed with Good Thing, but fell at the second last hurdle, and Good Thing went on to win easily by twelve lengths; three-quarters of a length divided second and third. Barney O'Hea was fourth and Abdulla next. Time—3 min. 55 2-5 secs.

2.45—BROWNSTOWN (3.) PLATE of 100 sovs. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. For two years old.

Mr. I. I. Beadlaw's ch. f. FLYING TOP, by Yutoi—Flying Estrel, 8-13 ..... James Doyle 1
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's LUCELLE, 8-13 M. Barrett 2
Mr. H. M. Hartigan's ARTHUR, 9-2 ..... Joseph Canty 3

Mr. T. J. Traile's Knight of Brandon, 8-9 ..... J. H. Harty 0
Mr. John Doyle's Irish Echo, 8-9 ..... John Doyle 0
Mrs. Darby Rogers's Eliza's Star, 8-5 ..... S. Sutton 0
Mr. H. M. Hartigan's Pronto, 8-1 ..... J. Condron 0
(Winner trained by T. Burns at the Curragh.)

Betting—5 to 4 on FLYING TOP, 2 to 1 agst Lucelle, 6 to 1 Arthur, 80 to 1 any other.

Lucelle showed in front of Flying Top, Arthur, Eliza's Star and Irish Echo to the distance, where Flying Top took command, and went on to win by four lengths; five lengths divided second and third. Eliza's Star was fourth and Irish Echo next. Time—64 2-5 secs.

The winner was bought in for 210 sovs.

3.25—WATERFORD PLATE of 200 sovs. Second 50 sovs., third 20 sovs. A handicap. For three years old. 1 m.

Mr. S. Vlasto's ch. c. RED CHARIOT, by Dillgence—Rosa Vista, 7-9 ..... J. Patman 1
Mrs. C. L. Mackean's SOLDANEL, 9-0 ..... E. M. Quirke 2
Mr. F. S. Myerscough's GOLDEN MONARCH (10lb. ex.), 8-0 (car. 8-3) ..... M. Wing 3
Mr. T. P. O'Neill's Percival Boy (10lb. ex.), 8-5 ..... J. H. Harty 0
Mr. J. M. P. Kennedy's Silver Threads, 7-13 ..... W. Howard 0
Capt. Dixon's Bower of Roses, 7-12 ..... Jas. Doyle 0
(Winner trained by R. More O'Ferrall at Kildangan.)

Betting—7 to 4 on Soldanel, 6 to 1 each agst. RED CHARIOT and Bower of Roses, 8 to 1 each Golden Monarch and Percival Boy, 20 to 1 Silver Threads.

Red Chariot led from Silver Threads, Percival Boy, Golden Monarch Soldanel and Bower of Roses the first straight, where Soldanel took second place, followed by Percival Boy and Golden Monarch. Inside the distance Soldanel challenged, but in a good finish Red Chariot held on to the lead to win by a neck; a length divided second and third. Bower of Roses was fourth, Percival Boy fifth. Time—2 mins. 10 secs.

Tomas Minden (7-11) was weighed out for by Mr. Cullen, but bolted on the way to the post, and was not a starter.

3.55—LOUGHBROWN PLATE of 100 sovs. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. 7 f.

Mr. F. Clarke's b. f. PASSEM, by Passer—Eminent Lady, 8-10 ..... J. H. Harty 1
Mr. T. Burns's GLENFORD, 8-10 ..... James Doyle 2
Major C. Mitchell's CHAIR OF KILDARE, 9-0 ..... G. Wallis 3
Count M'Cormack's Mickey Dazzler, 9-0 ..... A. Barrett 0
Mr. B. O'Donnell's Puca Orda, 8-10 ..... Joseph Canty 0
Mr. T. Waters's May Turn, 8-10 ..... W. Farrell 0
Mr. T. Coombs's Pyrex, 8-10 ..... J. Fitzgerald 0
Mr. A. Lowry's Bachelor's Cop, 8-10 E. Quirke 0
Mrs. Darby Rogers's Corn Flake, 8-3 ..... D. Ward 0
(Winner trained by Owner, at Foxrock.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst. Pyrex, 5 to 2 Glenford, 3 to 1 Puca Orda, 7 to 1 Mickey Dazzler, 100 to 8 each PASSEM, Chair of Kildare or any other.

Passem led from Glenford, Puca Orda, Pyrex, Chair of Kildare and Mickey Dazzler for half-way, when Glenford showed in front of Passem, Pyrex and Chair of Kildare. Challenging again close home, Passem won by a neck; four lengths divided second and third. Pyrex was fourth, Puca Orda fifth and Corn Flake next. Time—64 secs.

4.25—OFFALY PLATE of 100 sovs. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. Weight for age. 1¼ m.

Mr. J. J. Parkinson's ch. g. SOU' WEST, by Westward Ho—Scotch Opera, 3, 7-7 ..... W. Howard 1
Lady Weigall's GOLD CHASER, 3, 7-7 ..... James Doyle 2
Mr. F. S. Myerscough's TINAMOU, 3, 7-7 ..... J. Patman 3
Mr. D. J. Cogan's Superplane, 3, 7-7 ..... R. Cullen 0

(Winner trained by Owner, at the Curragh.)

Betting—7 to 2 on SOU' WEST, 4 to 1 agst. Gold Chaser, 20 to 1 each Tinamou and Superplane.

Sou' West made the running from Gold Chaser, Tinamou and Superplane, and, leading throughout, won easily by twelve lengths; two lengths between second and third. Time—2 mins. 42 2-5 secs.

4.55—WELTER PLATE of 100 sovs. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. A handicap. 7 f.

Mr. J. Goldrick's b. f. MISS MARLHILL, by Marlhill—Miss Millwheel, 4, 9-4 ..... B. Curran 1
Mr. John O'Beirne's SWEET LOCH LOMOND, 5, 8-11 ..... J. Patman 2
Capt. Dixon's ATHMOY, 3, 8-11 ..... C. O'Connor 3
Mr. H. M. Hartigan's Ho Fang, 3, 9-2 J. Conlon 0
Sir P. Nugent Stronge's, 9-5 ..... Joseph Canty 0
Mr. Jas. Ryan's Bright Kid, 3, 9-3 J. H. Harty 0
Mr. J. P. Downey's Northern Dennes, 5, 9-1 ..... J. Fitzgerald 0
Mr. R. N. Bell's Touchwood, 3, 9-0 ..... J. Tucker 0
(Winner trained by T. Burns, at the Curragh.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst. Bright Kid, 6 to 4 MISS MARLHILL, 3 to 1 Athmoy, 10 to 1 each Northern Dennes and Stronge, 20 to 1 any other.

Athmoy showed in advance of Miss Marlhill, Bright Kid, Ho Fang, and Northern Dennes. At the distance Miss Marlhill headed Athmoy, and, resisting the challenge of Sweet Loch Lomond, went by a length; a head divided second and third. Bright Kid was fourth, Stone fifth and Northern Dennes next. Time—1 mnl. 32 3-5 secs.

SUBSTITUTE JOCKEYS.

The *Racing Calendar* says:—"If a jockey, after he has been nominated for a specified horse, does not present himself to be weighed, another jockey may be substituted, provided he can be weighed within the time prescribed in the first paragraph of Rule 129; but, unless the Stewards on inquiry are satisfied that the absence of the jockey was due to unavoidable circumstances, they shall report the case to the Stewards of the Jockey Club.

"If a jockey, after he has been weighed for a specified horse, and before he has been under the starter's orders, is prevented by an accident or illness from riding in the race, another jockey may be substituted, provided there is no unreasonable delay.

"This modification is to come into force on the day following publication—Friday, May 31—and is to remain in force pending a decision being arrived at by the Jockey Club on the advisability of re drafting Rule 129."

THE DERBY.

FINAL ACCEPTANCE.

FEW SURPRISES.

The third and final acceptance stage of the Derby, details of which were published in yesterday's issue of the *Racing Calendar*, contain few surprises. The Manton stable, which shelters the favourite, Cragadour, has three other nominations, these being Briena, Engelberg and Cavendo, the last-named being in the same ownership as Cragadour. It has been authoritatively stated that all four may run. The supporters of Hunter's Moon, who has been suffering from shin soreness, will note that Lord Derby has accepted also with Bosworth, who was recently beaten by Modder at Manchester. It has already been stated that the Beckhampton stable would accept with Lord Dewar's Aristotle and The Macnab as well as Lord Woolavington's Walter Gay; but the betting market indicates that the last-named is likely to be the stable's chief hope.

Little has been heard in connection with Lord Glanely's Grand Prince, who is a surprise acceptor. He has not yet won a race. The only acceptor to be trained actually at Epsom is Sir M. Wilson's Golden Rain, who is trained by Walter Nightingall. In nine races he has been successful only once. The Kinchbridge stable, whose chief hope is likely to be Mr. Jinks, the 2,000 Guinea winner, have accepted also with Reedsmouth and Empire Builder, the latter of which was unplaced in the Irish 2,000 Guineas on Wednesday last. Other notable prospects include Spanish Day, Le Voleur, and his stable companion, Mr. W. Barnett's Trigo. Osiris, who rapped himself in a recent gallop, and Gordon Richards' mount, P.D.Q., who will be out to win Mr. Gordon Selfridge his first classic race. Mr. R. E. Morriss, who won the Derby in 1925 with Manna, is to be represented by Tom Pearbree, a well-bred colt; and American interests are represented by Mrs. A. Macomber's The Carthaginian. There is a "dark horse" among the acceptors, this being Mr. J. Tait's Roberto, a colt bred by the Duke of Westminster and trained in the North by Weatherill. He won over a mile and three furlongs at Hamilton Park on last Tuesday by ten lengths.

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FINAL ACCEPTORS.

	st. lb.
BARROSA (Major W. V. Beatty) ...Beatty	9 0
BELLE MERE (Sir J. Jardine)...Leach, sen.	9 0
DAUMONT (Lord Lonsdale) .....F. Darling	9 0
FILLE D'AMOURE (H.H. Aga Khan) ..... R. Dawson	9 0
GAY VISTA (Major W. V. Beatty) ...Beatty	9 0
GOLDEN SILENCE (Colonel Loder) ...Gilpin	9 0
MIDDLE EAST (Lady Douglas) .....Boyd	9 0
MORNING MIST (Mrs. C. Rich) R. J. Colling	9 0
NUWARA ELIYA (Mr. Deane) .....Lawson	9 0
PAPIER-MACHE (Mr. Hornung) ...B. Jarvis	9 0
PENNYCOMEQUICK (Lord Astor) ...Watts	9 0
SHOW GIRL (Lady Ludlow) .....Watts	9 0
SILVER LYRE (Sir H. C. Owen) ...O. Bell	9 0
SISTER ANNE (Colonel Loder) .....Gilpin	9 0
WILLSBORO' (Mr. F. Sykes) .....Morris	9 0

WORK OF DERBY HORSES AT NEWMARKET.

KOPI PLEASES.

At Newmarket yesterday morning Earl's Kopi (Winter up) went in nice style in a striding pace gallop of nine furlongs. Modder (Pugh), Fond Memories (S. Wragg), Forthole (H. Chaloner), and Is Zat So (Barnard) were in the gallop.

Jack Jarvis' Horus and Monticair (Evans riding) galloped a mile and a quarter at a good pace with Buoyant Bachelor and The Bastard.

Watson's Redeemer and Brigliadoro for company in a nice mile spin.

Crawford's Gay Day had a good six furlongs spin with Bridge of Cahir.

Darling (F.D. up) and Watts' En Garde were stripped and sent a rousing mile and a half gallop with Ramon, Ballyhernan and The Carthaginian. En Garde appeared to pull up short. In an interview with a Press representative, however, Mr. Watts said: "The colt certainly went badly in the gallop, but he did not pull up short. He is quite all right."

LONDON BETTING—YESTERDAY.

CRAGADOUR A FIRM FAVOURITE.

There was a fair muster at the Victoria Club last evening for the call-over on the Derby, Cragadour becoming the outstanding favourite. During the afternoon 3,250 to 500 was accepted about Lord Astor's candidate. The same price was laid last night to a similar sum, leaving 6 to 1 the best offer. Kopi was on offer at 100 to 12. Mr. Jinks was backed in about 21,500 at 9 to 1, leaving further offers of 17 to 2 unacceptable. A few minor wagers were laid against Hunter's Moon at 100 to 8, after which 10 to 1 was freely offered. Mr. Dawson's Fille d'Amoure changed hands yesterday afternoon at 3,000 to 210, was laid again at 18 to 1. Nothing else calls for special mention.

THE DERBY.

(Run at Epsom, Wednesday, June 5. Distance—About 1½ m.).

6 to 1	1	Cragadour (o., 13/8 f.) ... J. Lawson
100 to 12	2	Kopi (c.) ..... Earl
17 to 2	3	Mr. Jinks (o., 9/1 f.) ..... F. Darling
10 to 1	4	Hunter's Moon (o., 100/8 f.) F. Butters
100 to 7	5	Walter Gay (o.) ..... F. Darling
18 to 1	6	Gay Day (f. and o.) J. H. Crawford
20 to 1	7	Reedsmouth (o.) ..... Watts
25 to 1	8	Trigo (o., 33/1 f.) ..... R. Dawson
28 to 1	9	En Garde (c.) ..... Watts
33 to 1	10	Osiris (o.) ..... B. Jarvis
33 to 1	11	Reflector (o.) ..... J. Watson
33 to 1	12	Ratilin the Reefer (o.) ..... Gilpin
33 to 1	13	Posterity (o.) ..... Sneyd
33 to 1	14	Le Voleur (c.) ..... R. Dawson
33 to 1	15	Montclair (o.) ..... F. Darling
33 to 1	16	Barbizon (o.) ..... O. Bell
40 to 1	17	P.D.Q. (c.) ..... S. Darling
40 to 1	18	Horus (c.) ..... J. Jarvis
40 to 1	19	Briena (c.) ..... Lawson
50 to 1	20	Tom Pearbree (c.) ..... T. Leader
50 to 1	21	Enzelberg (c.) ..... Lawson
66 to 1	22	N.P.B. (c.) ..... Pugh
66 to 1	23	Bosworth (c.) ..... F. Butters
66 to 1	24	Empire Builder (c.) ..... Perse
66 to 1	25	Golden Rain (c., 100/1 f.) W. Nightingall
66 to 1	26	Leonard (c., 100/1 f.) ..... Elsey
66 to 1	27	Roberto (c.) ..... Weatherill
100 to 1	28	others (c.)

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OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

Coronation Cup, Epsom—Feistead, at 10 p.m. on Wednesday.
Park Selling Plate, Windsor—Desert Storm.
Buckingham Selling Handicap, Windsor—Roscompon.
Stewards' Handicap, Epsom—Bulwark.
Coventry Stakes and Queen Mary Stakes, Ascot—La Flecha d'Or.
Chesham Stakes, Ascot—Shamiana.

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SELECTIONS FOR DONCASTER MEETING TO-DAY.

PAPER.	2.0 RACE.	2.30 RACE.	3.0 RACE.	3.30 RACE.	4.0 RACE	4.30 RACE.	5.0 RACE.
Irish Times.....	Beau Sabreur.	Marjingo.	Hasta Sily.	Ennis Bridge.*	Luisita.	Blandishment.	Hegemony.
Gaiter Mere.....	—	—	More Haste.	Ennis Bridge.	—	Blandishment.	—
S. Life & Sportsman...	Beau Sabreur.	Pseudonym.	Blue Drift.	Ennis Bridge.*	Uncle Sam.	Daneon.	Life Belt.
Man on the Spot...	Grace Darling.	Pseudonym.	Blue Drift.	Hindustan.*	Skater.	Blandishment.	In the Gloaming.
Daily Mirror.....	Beau Sabreur.	Pseudonym.	Blue Drift.*	Neguac.	Pheldon.	Back Number.	—
Daily Sketch.....	Beau Sabreur.	Pseudonym.	Serafina.	Ennis Bridge.	Pheldon.	Blandishment.	Hegemony.
Star.....	Beau Sabreur.	Pseudonym.	Blue Drift.	Hindustan.	Pheldon.	Back Number.*	Corduroy.
Evening News.....	Beau Sabreur.*	Nevermore.	Mute Swan.	Ennis Bridge.	Skater.*	Glengowan.	Life Belt.
Evening Standard...	Beau Sabreur.	Magnum Bonum.	Dark Brilliance.	Ennis Bridge.	Skater.	Daneon.	Corduroy.
The Times.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

SALISBURY TO-DAY:

PROBABLE STARTERS AND BETTING.

SELECTIONS.

Maiden Plate—Marble.
Stonehenge Selling—Duane.
Salisbury Cup—Never.
Foal Stakes—Cebrenus (nap).
Wilton Selling—Wrong Number.
Salisbury Stakes—Cottrill's selected.
Longleat Stakes—Constant Stream.

TO-DAY'S DOUBLE:
Ennis Bridge (Doncaster) and Cebrenus (Salisbury).

1.30—MAIDEN PLATE of 200 sovs. 6 f.

	Age	st. lb.
BROADCAST (Mr. O. Dixon) .....Sneyd	5	9 12
ELEGANT SON (Mr. Andrews)...Edwards	5	9 9
COUNTY GUY (Mrs. Evans) .....Turner	4	9 1
ROYAL CRUSADER (Mr. Gant) .....Lowe	4	9 1
BERKELEY (Mr. Thorburn) ....Rintoul	6	8 13
PERSEVERE (Mr. Carr) .....Taylor	4	8 12
EVEN ME (Mrs. Fairhfull) ...Fairhfull	4	8 12
GLEESOME (Sir F. Freake) ...Miller	4	8 12
NANETTE (Mr. E. C. Nolan) ...Bickley	4	8 12
PILGRIM (Col. Wernher) .....Hastings	4	8 12
BELLE STAR (Capt. A. S. Wills) Bruce	4	8 12
MALENSEK (Mr. W. Murray) .....Cottrill	3	8 10
WATER DRANE (Mr. Andrews) .....Edwards	3	8 0
GALA PRINCE (Mr. Cunliffe) ...Owner	3	8 0
HEWISER (Mr. D. Davis) .....Owner	3	8 0
BILL SYKES (Mr. Lawrence) .....Powney	3	8 0
SWINBURNE (Lord Londonderry) .....Bell	3	8 0
GREYWETHUN (Lord Lonsdale) .....Darling	3	8 0
MARBLE (Lord Lonsdale) .....Darling	3	8 0
BYRON (Mr. de Rothschild) .....Pratt	3	8 0
OLDERFLEET (Mr. Savill) F. Hartigan	3	8 0
CAPTAIN DESMOND (Mrs. Schaverien) ..... O'Sullivan	3	8 0
HOMEWARD FLIGHT (Sir B. Sheffield) ..... Higgs	3	8 0
MARTIAL (Mr. Alexander) .....Braime	3	7 11
HANDSOME (Sir A. Butt) .....Wootton	3	7 11
LADY LUXURY (Mr. Cornelius) .....Ward	3	7 11
SHOVELSTRODE (Lord Derby) .....Darling	3	7 11
WILLOW KING (Mrs. Drummond) ..... Cundell	3	7 11
FILAMENT (Lord Durham) ....Butters	3	7 11
TETRASANT (Mr. D. Faber) ...Rayson	3	7 11
TIMOROUS CHINK (Mr. Falcon) Rintoul	3	7 11
SCUDDER (Mr. F. Gilbert) ...Coldbeck	3	7 11
GAMESOME (Sir C. Hyde) .....Scobie	3	7 11
FAIR LADY (Mr. J. Joel) .....C. Peck	3	7 11
GO EASY (Mr. McGregor) .....Gwilt	3	7 11
POTIPHAR'S WIFE (Mr. Marshall) ..... Morris	3	7 11
B.H.P. (Mr. Morley) .....M. Hartigan	3	7 11
THE PLUMBER (Mrs. O'Malley) ..... M. Hartigan	3	7 11
CONSTANT STREAM (Mr. W. Singer) ..... Watts	3	7 11
GOLDEN CAPTIVE (Mr. Sykes) Morris	3	7 11
PLAYING FIELD (Mr. Sykes) Morris	3	7 11
LU (Mrs. S. Whitburn) .....Cottrill	3	7 11
HOT BUN (M. J. Wittonck) ....Braime	3	7 11
BELLARION (Lord Woolavington) ..... F. Darling	3	7 11
FINOLA (Lord Woolavington) ...Darling	3	7 11
ELSA (Lord Wyfold) .....Perse	3	7 11

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Forecast.
1	BROADCAST ..... C. Ray	5/1
0	ELEGANT SON ..... G. Richards	100/8
000	COUNTY GUY ..... S. Donoghue	10/1
0	EVEN ME ..... F. Pratt	10/1
	BELLE STAR ..... P. Beasley	8/1
001	HANDSOME ..... Tuttle	6/1
300	GALA PRINCE ..... A. Turner	100/8
002	BEWISE ..... T. Barber	9/2
405	MARBLE ..... F. Fox	5/2
	LADY LUXURY ..... Sirett	100/8
000	TETRASANT ..... Dines	100/8
	TIMOROUS CHINK ..... Brennan	100/8
0	FAIR LADY ..... W. Wells	10/1
040	GO EASY ..... Lane	6/1
000	CONSTANT STREAM ..... S. Wragg	7/1
0	GOLDEN CAPTIVE ..... Baines	10/1
0	HOT BUN ..... Forsyth	100/8
00	ELSA ..... Alford	8/1

2.15—STONEHENGE SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. 5½ f.

	st. lb.
DESLADOR (Mr. A. Saville) .....V. Smyth	9 0
TOUAREG (Mr. F. Thrale) .....Thrale	9 0
ROSAPENNA (Maj. H. T. Barclay) Braime	8 11
LANCE THRUST (Sir H. Owen) .....Bell	8 11
PEARGENT (Lt. Fairhaven) .....K. Day	8 11
BLOT OUT (Mr. Farquharson) .....Owner	8 11
DUNNO (Mr. E. Gwilt) .....Gwilt	8 11
STRAIGHT COMEDY (Mr. G. Hartigan) ..... Owner	8 11
CARPE DIEM (Mr. Mestre) .....Owner	8 11
ARGOSETTE (Lady Torrington) .....Pugh	8 11
ABELARD (Mr. Whitburn) .....Cottrill	8 11

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
131	DESLADOR ..... Beary	11/8
00	ROSAPENA ..... Kirby	4/1
0	PEARGENT ..... S. Wragg	7/1
	BLOT OUT ..... J. Hine	10/1
0	DUNNO ..... Lane	5/1
	CARPE DIEM ..... C. Ray	8/1
0	STRAIGHT COMEDY .... C. Richards	10/1
00	ARGOSETTE ..... S. Donoghue	6/1
0	ABELARD ..... P. Beasley	7/2

2.45—SALISBURY CUP, handicap of 400 sovs. 1½ m. Age st. lb.

BROWN JACK (Col. Wernher) Hastings	5	9 7
THE SIRDAR (Mr. Emanuel) Chapman	4	8 10
CHERRIO (Mrs. Schaverien) O'Sullivan	4	8 5
PROMPTITUDE (Mr. Robertson) Rimell	5	8 1
HERCULES (Sir M. McAlpine) J. Bell	6	8 1
CHATSWORTH (Lady Murray) ...Perse	4	7 12
HILARIODONAN (Ld. Willoughby de Broke) ..... E. Day	5	7 11
COSTER BOY (Mr. Singer) .....Lawson	4	7 10
CYCLONE (Mr. S. Savile) .....J. Beary	4	7 7
HISTORIAN (Mrs. E. Wallace) Carslake	4	7 7
MONSIEUR NEUF (Mr. Davis) Owner	3	7 2
BALLYSCANLON (Mr. Martin) Edwards	5	7 2
ADVOCATE (Mr. Hart) .....G. Ward	4	7 1
LAZ. MALONE (Mr. Cunliffe) Owner	5	7 0
PRUDENT PAT (Comdr. Read) Owner	a	7 0
DAZZLER (Mr. Benson) .....Nugent	5	7 7
LAST TRACE (Mr. Lawrence) ...Powney	4	7 7
NOROC (Mrs. F. B. Sneyd) .....Sneyd	5	7 7

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
000	CHEERIO ..... C. Ray	100/8
414	HEROILES ..... Beary	7/1
100	CHATSWORTH ..... S.

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NEW CIVIC GUARD BARRACK.

BUILDING COMMENCED AT TALLAGHT.

Work has been commenced on the erection of a new Civic Guard barracks at Tallaght, co. Dublin. At present, and for some years past, the Guards have been quartered in a requisitioned building, "Airfield House," which is about half a mile from the village. The site of the new barracks is at the western end of the village, on the ground formerly used as a playing field for the Church of Ireland Schools, which for some years past have been closed down owing to the decline in the number of pupils. The new barrack is to be a commodious building of the bungalow type, and will replace as sub-district station the old R.I.C. barracks, which is private property, and which is still occupied by the family of the late Sergeant Driscoll, Royal Irish Constabulary, who was disbanded with that force in 1922. The fact that it is so occupied, and that it is not Government property, has prevented the Civic Guard authorities from gaining possession of it under the Civic Guard Acquisition of Premises Act.

HIGH PRICE FOR WATERFORD GLASS-FRAMED MIRROR.

At the concluding day's sale of the furniture and effects of the late Mr. Frank Moffatt, 41 Raglan road, yesterday, by Messrs. Bennett and Son, the high standard prices established on the first day was maintained. Exceptional interest was shown in two wall mirrors, oval-shaped, in old Waterford glass frames, which realised 28 and 32 guineas respectively. Two Persian carpets, 12ft. x 9ft. and 10ft. x 5ft., sold for 20 guineas. A miniature of an old lady, by Daubigny, brought 20 guineas, and a small bronze figure of a youth (Italian) 10 guineas.

The following were the principal prices obtained for furniture:—Inlaid mahogany bureau and secretaire, 27 guineas; 4½ft. Chippendale mahogany wall-table, 32 guineas; Chippendale easy chair, 34 guineas; carved mahogany cutlery urn, 24 guineas; inlaid mahogany book-case and cabinet, 29 guineas; Georgian mahogany writing-table, 26 guineas, and antique mahogany circular writing-table, 30 guineas.

FROM SINGAPORE TO LONDON BY CAR.

Mr. Canagasabey arrived at Dover on Saturday, May 25, having driven a Morris Oxford from Singapore via India, Afghanistan, Persia, Turkey, Austria, Germany and France. The car, which already had 16,000 miles to its credit before the start, ran splendidly, using Wakefield CASTROL XL throughout.—Wakefield and Co., Ltd., 16 Marlborough Road, Dublin, and London, E.C.2.—(Advt.)

YESTERDAY IN THE DAIL.

PROTECTION OF JURORS.

FIANNA FAIL AND THE BILL.

MINISTER OF JUSTICE UNYIELDING.

By Our Special Correspondent.

If community singing were permitted in the Dail, then "Tramp, tramp, tramp, the boys are marching" or "Felix kept on walking" would have been appropriate songs to hearten deputies as they treadmilled up the steps of the chamber and marched through the division lobbies yesterday.

On Wednesday Mrs. Ernest Blythe announced that six hours only would be given to the Committee stage of the Jurors (Protection) Bill, and in a division a majority of the Dail agreed to the Government's decision. Fianna Fail decided to retaliate by dividing the House on every amendment as far as the six hours would permit, as they would, of course, have done, even if unlimited time had been given. There were 103 amendments left on the paper yesterday, but a total of only twenty-eight had been disposed of when the closure was moved and carried late in the evening. Thereafter the remaining sections of the bill and the few Government amendments were put without discussion. When it was all over, members, in the aggregate, had walked scores of miles round the lobbies and up and down the gangways. There were few walking enthusiasts when the Dail adjourned.

The debate was a very dull affair, indeed, and rarely were there more than thirty members in the House. The greater number preferred to remain outside until the division bell rang, when they trooped into the House and trudged through the lobbies once again.

Most of the amendments were put down by Mr. P. Ruttledge (Fianna Fail), the seven pages of amendments on the paper indicating his great industry. Unfortunately, he spoke with a very small voice, and much of what he said in favour of his motions was quite inaudible.

In his first amendment he asked the Dail to agree that an accused person had a right to a copy of the panel of jurors, and in this he was strongly supported by the Labour Party leader; but the Minister of Justice was adamant. The Government's policy, he said, was "to see that guilty persons were convicted and innocent persons acquitted."

The Minister was followed by Mr. Hugo Flinn (Fianna Fail), who four times was gently told by the Speaker to keep to the amendment. He gave members the interesting piece of information that he knew the head of one secret service who had for his secretary the wife of the head of another secret service. Members pricked up their ears in anticipation of more, but Mr. Flinn did not pursue the theme. Finally, the amendment, and another couched in similar terms, were defeated on a division.

"A CONSPIRACY."

Some straight speaking was done by the Minister for Justice at a later stage. "There is a conspiracy afoot," he said, "to prevent evidence from being given, and to prevent juries from making fair delivery between the State and the accused. We know that there is a conspiracy to drive jurymen by intimidation into committing perjury," and he added: "Every deputy in the House knows that; even the deputies on the opposite benches will not deny that. We propose to put these provisions for the protection of jurors into force."

At this point Mr. Hugo Flinn intervened again with the question, "What protection are you giving to witnesses?" The Minister did not reply, and this drew from Dr. Ward (Fianna Fail) the comment, "Mute of malice." A little later Mr. Flinn accused the Minister for Justice of being "blank of intelligence and blank of everything else. He knows nothing about prosecutions—he does not care a damn about prosecutions," Mr. Flinn added rather heatedly.

Another half-dozen amendments having been defeated, Mr. T. J. O'Connell (Labour) moved that the majority verdicts clause should not apply when a prisoner is being tried for his life. "A man's life should not be taken away," he argued, "if three men on the jury doubt his guilt." Again the Minister for Justice stuck to his guns, declaring that the clause was absolutely necessary to the bill. Messrs. Lemass and MacEntee also pleaded for the acceptance of the amendment, as did Mr. Anthony (Labour, Cork City).

Mr. Blythe argued strongly in favour of retaining the clause. "Majority verdicts," he said, "will make it impossible for one or two men, who might possibly be frightened, to prevent convictions. This will tend to put an end to the policy of terrorism."

"You are going to get the finest publicity by this method you are adopting," said Mr. Ruttledge (Fianna Fail), "because the three men on the jury who did not convict are going to make it clear afterwards that they were not parties to the conviction."

The Minister for Justice was proceeding to speak, when Mr. Sean MacEntee moved "that the question be now put." This was accepted, whereat the Speaker announced that, as there were no tellers for this motion, it had fallen through.

Thereafter it was a kind of "Round the Mulberry Bush" performance, the more astute members taking seats close to the lobby, so that they would have a shorter distance to walk "round the course," as a Fianna Fail member put it.

Good humour prevailed during the divisions on the remaining sections. Altogether twenty-three divisions took place during the day.

RIDERS UNCONSCIOUS ON ROAD.

MOTOR CYCLING ACCIDENT AT ENNISCORTHY.

Last Wednesday night a collision between motor cycles ridden by Mr. P. R. Bolger, Ferns, and Mr. J. Sinnott, Ballygarrett, Kilmuckridge, occurred at Scarawalsh, Enniscorthy, resulting in injury to both men. They were found unconscious on the road, and after treatment by Dr. Quigley, Ferns, Mr. Bolger was removed home and Mr. Sinnott was removed to the County Home, Enniscorthy, for further attention. They were suffering principally from shock and cuts.

NEW TYPE OF VESSEL LAUNCHED AT BELFAST.

A vessel designed to be used as a whale oil factory ship and oil tanker was launched yesterday from Messrs. Workman, Clark's Yard at Belfast, and named the Kosmos. She has been built to the order of the Kosmos Whaling Company, and the naming ceremony was performed by Mrs. Christensen, wife of the designer and naval architect. The Kosmos is a vessel of about 32,000 tons displacement. The whaling factory is situated in the upper 'tween decks, and is equipped with the latest plant for dealing economically with the maximum catch of whales. The propelling machinery has been built by Workman, Clark (1928), Ltd.

This vessel is the first of her kind built as a pelagic whaling factory, the existing vessels to date being converted oil tankers.

Last Monday a brown carrier pigeon in an exhausted state flew into the back premises of Mr. W. Reid, Templeshannon, Enniscorthy. It had two rings on one leg and one on the other, bearing the number 27 C 2446 and initials I. U. H. P.

LEITRIM-SLIGO BY-ELECTION.

MR. DE VALERA ON THE LAND ANNUITIES.

CANDIDATES.
Government ... Lieut.-Gen. Sean MacEoin.
Fianna Fail ... Mr. E. Donnelly.

Polling ..... 7th June.

Yesterday, being a Roman Catholic Church holiday, the Feast of Corpus Christi, Mr. de Valera availed of the occasion to address a meeting after Mass in Drumshambo in support of Mr. Donnelly's candidature in the Leitrim-Sligo by-election.

Mr. de Valera stated that at the beginning of the nineteenth century there were more people to the square mile in Ireland than in England, Scotland and Wales. He attributed the decline in the population of Ireland from eight and a quarter millions to four and a quarter millions to the machinations of England. The people who were fighting for Irish freedom were doing so to get rid of England and to save Ireland's diminishing population.

One hundred and thirty-one thousand people, he declared, had left the country since the Free State Government came into power. The emigration rate was sufficient to condemn the Government in power, and was proof that the position created by England in the nineteenth century had not changed. There was no earning in the country at present, and that was why the people were emigrating. Were it not for the money coming from the emigrants they would not be able to pay their rates, rents, taxes or other Government imposts.

THAT SECRET AGREEMENT.

There was no one who knew more about the signing of the secret agreement with England than Mr. Blythe, if he told the story, but they would have to wait until the memoirs of Mr. Churchill or Mr. Baldwin were written before they would hear the full story of the surrender. The document known as the "ultimate financial settlement," was not binding and was in no way valid.

The land annuities represented 7s. 2d. in the £ in Sligo and 7s. 8½d. in Leitrim, and if they had the five million pounds, which represented 20 per cent. of their valuation, it would mean something to the country and would enable a scheme to be financed each year, such as the Shannon scheme. The question of the land annuities was no trifling question; it was an important one. Fianna Fail believed that England was not able to put up any case, and, with the land annuities, Fianna Fail intended to put the farmers in the Free State in the same position as the farmers in England or Northern Ireland.

MR. DONNELLY'S FOREBODING

"Do not fight England's war," he concluded. "Do not pay England's debts—that is our cry and that is what Eamon Donnelly stands for."

Mr. Donnelly said that the Free State Government saw they were going to be driven out and that in this contest they were in a tight corner. Sean MacEoin was allowing his reputation of the fighting days to be destroyed by the Freemasons. If Sean MacEoin was elected—and he was afraid it was going to happen—it would mean another Government gramaphone in the Dail. He (Mr. Donnelly) had only to raise his finger in his own county, which he represented in 1925, to get elected, but he refused to go forward as he only recognised a national assembly in the capital of Dublin.

Speaking at Manorhamilton yesterday, Mr. de Valera said that the Government was engaged in a lying campaign to fool the people. They said that no part of the annuities was going to England; that it was being used to pay the stockholders. There was no contract between Irish farmers and the stockholders. Up to the time of the Treaty there was a joint obligation with England, but that joint obligation ceased with the cancellation of Article 5 of the Treaty. The obligation now rested with England, and the land annuities were being used to pay England's debts.

DEVOY FUNERAL IN DUBLIN.

COUNTY COUNCIL VIEWS.

When Mr. P. Belton proposed at yesterday's meeting of the Dublin County Council that Standing Orders be suspended in order that he might move that the Council be officially represented at the funeral in Dublin on June 12th of the late John Devoy,

Mrs. Sheehy-Skeffington opposed the appointment of an official deputation. This funeral had a political flavour, and if political matters were ruled out it should apply all round. This was a political device to use a dead man, whose record was subject to fluctuation, as an advertisement for the Government, and she disapproved of this kind of *post mortem* propaganda.

Mr. Belton denied that the Government had anything to do with the matter, and, after a long discussion, during which it was suggested that these matters should be left outside the Council, a motion was proposed that no action be taken.

The Chairman (Mr. Joseph O'Neill) suggested that in the circumstances Mr. Belton should withdraw his proposal, and Mr. Belton did so, declaring that he regretted the narrow-minded, mean and contemptible opposition.

The Ministry for Local Government wrote sanctioning an overdraft not exceeding £70,000 to June 30th next.

THE NEW SECRETARY.

The Ministry also sanctioned the promotion of Mr. P. J. Murphy as Secretary of the County Council at a salary of £900 a year, rising to £1,200 by annual increments of £25, subject to satisfactory service. He would be required to lodge to the credit of the Council all fees and emoluments other than the inclusive salary received by him.

Mr. Murphy was formerly the Council's accountant.

THE BALROTHERY ROADS.

The Council's position in regard to the Balrothery roads estimate was again discussed.

A letter was received from the Department of Local Government, dated 24th inst. It stated that, as it was on the complaint of the County Council that the Minister appointed an officer specially to do the work which the Rural District Council itself failed to do, the County Council could not consistently reject such proposals as had been placed before it by the officer mentioned. The Minister felt that the County Council did not fully appreciate the seriousness of its action and its effect upon road fund grants available for the County Dublin. If the County Council decided to allow one Rural District Council to make no proper provision for the maintenance of the roads, it was in his power to see that all grants available for the county were devoted to the upkeep of roads in Balrothery, or to direct a local inquiry into the performance of its duties by the County Council. As this, however, would entail further delay he had decided to give the Council an opportunity further to consider the entire question, a special meeting to be called for the purpose if necessary.

"MEXICAN LAW."

Mr. T. L. Smyth said that the Balrothery Council did not want anything to be taken from the other Rural Councils' grants. They had a case of their own—a good case—to stand over.

Mr. Rooney said that he did not think that the Minister's suggestion regarding his powers in reference to the road grant was according to law. It might be Mexican law, but it was not Irish.

Mr. Shiel said that the rural authority in the county was the first judge of the correct amounts to be spent on the roads in its district, and he was still waiting to hear what authority the Ministry, or any official of the Ministry, had for overriding the local authority. He was perfectly satisfied that even technically the position to-day was not as set out by the Ministry. A commissioner had been sent to Balrothery, and he had set out what he considered to be a correct estimate for the roads. That Council did not agree with him, and he (Mr. Shiel) had yet to learn what authority there was to compel the Council to agree.

Mr. McCabe referred to the action of the Ministry as "high-handed and undemocratic."

After further discussion,

Mr. O'Connor said that, to his mind, they were grossly unfair to the Ministry. On their complaint the Ministry took the only action that was possible—to appoint a Commissioner—and now they were "running away from it."

After some further discussion it was decided on the motion of Mrs. Cosgrove, seconded by Mr. McCabe, that three members of the

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THE INTERMEDIATE EXAMINATIONS.

CHARACTERISTICS OF MARKING SYSTEM.

NOTEWORTHY PAPER BY MR. HOOPER.

In a paper on "Examination Statistics," read last night at a meeting of the Statistical and Social Inquiry Society of Ireland, held in the Royal Irish Academy, Dublin, Mr. John Hooper, Free State Director of Statistics, showed that there are great differences between subjects, from the marking point of view.

In some subjects like Domestic Science, History and English, the marks are always crowded around the average, while in subjects like Greek, Irish, Science and Drawing, the marks are always well scattered from nought to the maximum.

The averages for different subjects are also very different, and these characteristics are permanent.

As a result large numbers of candidates in the Intermediate examinations always fail in History and Geography and French, while few fail in Drawing, English or Irish; high marks are always obtained by many candidates in Drawing, Greek and Irish, but by few in History, English or French.

The method of using examiner's marks, which is adopted in most countries, is, accordingly, unfair, and is especially unfair to girls, as their best subjects are inherently bad subjects for scoring in. The examiner's marks place the candidates accurately in order of merit, but failures, passes, and honours should be decided by ranks and not by marks; in other words, the same percentage of candidates should fail in each subject, say, the lowest 20 per cent. of the candidates in each subject. Improved methods of adding rectified marks for scholarship purposes were described.

NEED FOR RESEARCH.

Mr. Hooper showed that the higher the mark a candidate got in any subject, the higher, as a rule, was his mark in every other subject, but that the strength of the association between subjects varied greatly. The strongest correlation is between Greek and Latin—.77; the next between Mathematics and Science—.71. On the whole, Latin has the strongest correlations with other subjects; drawing is the weakest. Research work should be carried out in the calculation of the correlations; for instance, between different types of questions in Latin and mathematics, so that educationists could get a clear conception of the common, and different, faculties developed by different subjects.

Candidates in the Intermediate in 1928 whose subjects totalled less than 2,200 got the lowest average marks, the lowest percentages of honours, and the highest percentages of failures. Many girls failed, probably because they took too few subjects. Candidates whose subjects totalled 2,700 got the highest percentage of scholarships, although only 2,200 out of their 2,700 was counted for the purpose. The Christian Brothers got the best results with each type of boy, especially with the over-age boys; the Convents of Mercy, on the whole, got the best results for girls.

For each type of school, the candidates under 16 years got as good results as those who were 16 to 17, and better results than those over 17. For nine age-groups under 17 it was shown that there must have been a fairly steep descent in natural ability as the age increased; but the examination results for each age group were much the same. It was suggested that it would be practicable to obtain a proper handicap for age by calculating the average increase in the marks of those candidates who competed in 1927 and again in 1928. The question was raised as to whether 16, and not 17, should be the limit of age for scholarships, as the boys under 16 who barely miss scholarships now waste a precious year repeating a course in which they are proficient.

EXPRESSIONS OF PRAISE.

In proposing a vote of thanks, the Rev. T. A. Finlay, S.J., said that Mr. Hooper's paper was one which had cost him a considerable amount of labour, and he hoped that it would be recognised. If absolute justice was to be done to students, some method such as he had suggested would have to be adopted in order to reach the desired end. It was doubtful if any of the officials of the Board who had to deal with the figures would be grateful to the head of the Department who would introduce it. It would involve special training and mathematical skill properly to apply the principles set out. The lines set out by Mr. Hooper would be the wisest on which to proceed, if ever those in authority decided to make such changes.

Professor J. Johnston seconded the vote. He said that he thought that the mind of youth developed late in relation to the acquisition of knowledge of such subjects as history and geography. In other words, it was as useless to try to instil a competent knowledge of these subjects in the youthful mind as to attempt to instil a knowledge of the philosophy of Einstein.

In supporting the vote, the Rev. W. Anderson said that he was lost in admiration at the amount of labour involved in the preparation of the paper, and at the clear and precise manner in which it had been presented.

Mr. Sparkhall Brown said that he had found Mr. Hooper's paper a liberal education in the treatment of figures. If it were possible to bring Mr. Hooper any more credit in his own particular field, the paper, as a statistical effort, was well calculated to do so. They were all enslaved by marks. They had been marked since childhood onward, and they had come to look on marks as material things, whereas they were fluctuating, and unworthy of the great skill brought to bear on his subject by Mr. Hooper. The moral to be drawn was that examiners should be selected with much greater care, and that no examiner should be selected unless he knew, and was intimate with, the mentality and handling of boys and girls, and not because he had been a skilled "mark-getter" himself in his schooldays.

Mr. Justice Meredith, President of the Society, who was in the chair, complimented Mr. Hooper on his brilliant paper. He thought that reform should be directed first to the setting of examination papers.

The vote of thanks was passed with acclamation.

ENNISKILLEN GUARDIANS.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

At the annual meeting of the Enniskillen Board of Guardians on Thursday, Mr. J. M. Geddes, B.A., was elected Chairman, Mr. George Bell Vice-Chairman, and Lieutenant-Colonel H. C. Richardson Deputy Vice-Chairman.

SOLDIER'S BODY FOUND IN LIFFEY.

The body of a man wearing the uniform of the National Army was taken from the river Liffey near the Butt Bridge yesterday morning, and removed to the City Morgue.

An envelope found on the clothing of the deceased bore the name "Private Sullivan."

The body, which was much decomposed, appeared to have been some time in the water.

FALL IN PIG PRICES.

At Callan (Co. Kilkenny) pig market on Wednesday £5 per cwt. was paid for fat pigs, a decrease of 3s. on last week's price.

Pork dropped in price by 5s. per cwt. to £4 15s. in Omagh market yesterday. There were 145 dead pigs in market.

Pork continued on the down grade in Dungannon market yesterday, £4 18s. per cwt. being the top price for the 210 carcases sealed.

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County Council should meet the whole Balrothery Council and the Commissioner, with a view to coming to some arrangement that would be mutually satisfactory. The County Council then could meet to discuss the situation, and, if possible, strike a rate.

The Chairman, Mrs. Cosgrove and Mr. Shiel were appointed to represent the County Council.

While workmen were engaged painting an old Boer War memorial gun on Enniskillen Forthill they found the nest of a blue titmouse down in the breech of the gun.

THE LEAGUE OF OPERA.

DUBLIN INVITED TO TAKE PART.

A meeting to establish a branch of the League of Opera, which has been started by Sir Thomas Beecham, to put the production of grand opera on a better basis, was held last night in the Gresham Hotel, Dublin. Mr. F. M. Summerfield presided.

Mr. R. Reid Smith, Honorary Organiser of the League, explaining the scheme which has been inaugurated in England, said that Sir Thomas Beecham had been anxious to found, a national operatic institution and place it on a permanent basis. The only possible way of proceeding was on a democratic basis, and it had been proposed to get 150,000 people to pay 10s. a year for at least five years. If the scheme proved a success at the end of five years, he would continue it on a similar basis for so long as he could obtain ten shillings a year from the persons interested. Already they had 40,000 members; but the idea of 150,000 members had been given up. Sir Thomas Beecham's friends had pointed out that if they had 150,000 members it would be impossible to find room at the performances for them. Accordingly he had changed his plan and reduced his number to 60,000, the remainder of the money to be contributed by his rich friends and by the Gramaphone Companies and the B.B.C., which would pay large sums for recording and broadcasting.

The problem, therefore, was to find 20,000 more members, and if that number was not got the money received would be returned to the members. Not a penny of the money so far received had been spent, the whole expense having been borne out of Sir Thomas Beecham's own pocket.

DUBLIN'S QUOTA.

The quota for each of the large cities in Great Britain and Ireland outside London was fixed at 2,500. If they got this number in Dublin then they would try in Cork and Belfast. Every member of the League would get a reduction of 10 per cent. on tickets and the privilege of prior booking for the performances arranged by the League.

Mr. W. Barnardo welcomed the movement, and said that he could give an immediate guarantee of twenty-five members.

Mr. Seamus Clandillon, Director, Dublin Broadcasting Station, also welcomed the movement, and expressed the hope that it might be possible to broadcast the League's Dublin performances from the Dublin Station. He promised the heartiest possible co-operation in the scheme. He would make the movement known amongst the 700 soloists who were on his list of broadcasting artists.

The meeting agreed to form a Dublin branch of the League of Opera.

The Governor-General of the Irish Free State was appointed President.

Among those who attended the meeting and agreed to become members of the General Committee were—Messrs. F. M. Summerfield (Chairman), W. Barnardo, P. J. Duffy (hon. treasurer), Vincent O'Brien, Joshua Watson, Dr. George Hewson, Madame Cosslett Heller, Mr. and Mrs. Clandillon, Mr. J. C. Turner Huggard, Mr. Arthur W. Garbutt, Lieutenant-Colonel Carty, and Miss M. Andrews (secretary).

Numerous promises of support have been received.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

CHILDREN'S PLAYGROUNDS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—I visited the other day one of the two playgrounds provided for poor children in Dublin. I except St. Stephen's Green, as not coming quite under that heading. At four o'clock in the afternoon I saw the children pour into the civic playground. It is an oasis from the dangers of the streets, but an arid oasis, although flowers have been planted there. The children had no fault to find with it. They came tumbling in, the long families down to the baby. One saw the strange tenderness of the elder children—boys as well as girls—to their babies. The children loved the playground which was their own. Set between the houses of the mean streets, it had a prevailing aridness and greyness, despite the flowers; but the children were happy. I had seen that playground before in, I think, the winter of 1921. The improvement in the children is miraculous. It is of a piece with the brightening, the civilisation, which has come amazingly to Dublin and its suburbs. Good lighting, clean streets, lovely gardens, bright house-fronts have taken the place of the dinginess of old. I had seen the children eight years ago, deplorably neglected and ill-clad. In some the nakedness was barely covered by a man's old coat slung round the little body by the sleeves. It was terrible. Now the children were, in the main, clean and tidy. They looked beautifully healthy. They were friendly. They were practising the folk-dances for the *fête* to be held in Lord Iveagh's garden next month. It was splendid to see the strength and grace of the little dancers.

This playground movement deserves more support than it has ever received in Dublin, where we are strangely careless of the child life of the tenements. There is no grant for the playgrounds, and there are only two of them, both on the North side of the city. There is Merrion square, which might well hold a playground within it, without infringing on the privileges of dwellers in the square, which is fast ceasing to be a residential place, and houses, I imagine, few children. One remembers Germany and the lovely and flowery kindergartens within the parks, wherever a waste spot is to be found. Kensington Gardens is an example nearer home. The children's playground at the Notting Hill Gate entrance immediately absorbs the poor children. There is no question of an inhuman segregation, but quite naturally the children of a different class are to be found with their nurses at the south side of the gardens. Fitzwilliam square, Rutland square, could well have, I think, children's playgrounds. Unfortunately our noble Phœnix Park is beyond the reach of little feet that very often carry the burden of another child as well as the owner. There is Mountjoy square, too; but Dublin is singularly deficient in open spaces and selfish in holding what she has. Again one harks back to Germany, remembering how, on a fine day, all the busy mothers were out with their embroidery and needlework in the flowery spaces where the children played. If that were possible in Dublin, what a boon it would be to those patient and heroic women, sometimes confined with a husband and children within one narrow and airless room!

The civic playground has a long shed against the wet weather. If there was a corner for the women, flowers at their feet, what fresh air there might be circulating about them, what it would mean of health and refreshment!

Voluntary workers are needed for the playground. The children require to be taught how to do things. How can they learn in the narrow tenement? There is a deplorable garden by the civic playground, set amid broken walls and refuse of one kind or another. I remember potatoes and cabbage there in 1921, and boys digging. There is none now. Are there no leisured people, loving and understanding gardens, to show them the way; and cannot some of the unemployed boyhood be used in such gardens? We have plenty of waste spaces which might become gardens. The love of a garden would be a most efficient prophylactic against hooliganism.—Yours, etc.,

KATHARINE TYNAN.

Blackrock, Co. Dublin.
May 30th, 1929.

THAT NIGHTINGALE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—The paragraph announcing in your paper of this morning that the nightingale is to be heard singing nightly on the shores of Lough Erne, gave me, I confess, what can fairly be called a start; but surely the authority for so surprising a piece of information might have been quoted. The writer of the paragraph speaks mildly when he states that "it is the first time that the nightingale has been heard in Fermanagh." If his bird is a nightingale at all, it is the first nightingale that has ever been heard in any part of Ireland, and not only that, but the first nightingale that has yet been known to visit this country; for so far we have never been favoured even with a straggler.

It is true that in September, 1876, a solitary nightingale, supposed to have gone astray on its autumnal migration, was announced to have been obtained at a County Cork lighthouse, and the bird did duty in a museum for the next twenty-two years as the only nightingale known to have ever visited Ireland. At the end of that time, however, it was subjected to expert examination and proved to be no nightingale at all. Who will now tell us whether the Lough Erne nightingale is in any better case? At the very least, let us be told who heard it.—Yours, etc.,

"C. B. M."

Dublin, May 30th, 1929.

HOWTH IMPROVEMENTS.

£14,000 FOR DRAINAGE SCHEMES.

At the annual general meeting of the Howth Urban District Ratepayers' Association, which was held last night at the St. Lawrence Hotel, Howth, Mr. W. G. F. Mulvin, President, in the course of his address pointed out that several improvements had been effected in the district since the appointment of the Commissioner. Loans amounting to about £14,000 had been sanctioned by the Free State Local Government Department for the extension of drainage works in the Sutton and Baily districts; for the extension of the Vartry water system over the Hill of Howth, and for some minor improvements, including the provision of suitable bathing facilities at Balscadden beach. The Association had been in close co-operation with the Commissioner since his appointment.

The Secretary's report stated that the township was associated with the Irish Tourist Development Association, and it was expected that Howth would become popular among holiday-seekers.

The following officers and committee were appointed for the ensuing year:—President, Mr. W. G. F. Mulvin; Vice-Presidents, Mr. S. J. Little and Mr. P. H. Walsh; Hon. Secretary, D. M. O'Kelly; Hon. Treasurer, F. Conway. Committee—Mrs. Noel Guinness, Miss Carmody, Messrs. Bamford, Bourke, McSherry and O'Reilly.

BAPTIST UNION OF IRELAND.

SUPPORT FOR FOREIGN MISSION.

The proceedings in connection with the annual assembly of the Baptist Union of Ireland concluded last night with a public meeting of the Irish Baptist Foreign Mission and a valedictory Service for the out-going missionary, Mr. W. Creighton, in the Harcourt Street Chapel, Dublin. Pastor D. Henderson, President, was the chairman.

The reports of the Secretary and Treasurer showed that much progress had been made during the past year in many of the churches, and much good work had been done. The missionaries' reports had been very cheerful. The mission was very thankful for the wonderful response made for financial help. Last year the treasurer was able to report an increase of almost £200 over the amount recorded in 1926, and this year he had to report an increase of over £237 on the figure for 1927. The Londonderry Church had decided to support the mission, and during 1928 sent a contribution of £55. Limerick Church and also the Church in Holyhead had intimated that in future they would support the mission.

Pastor J. W. S. Fraser delivered the valedictory address.

EX-SERVICE MEN'S HOUSES AT SALLINS.

Four new houses were handed over at Sallins, Co. Kildare, yesterday to Joseph Daly, Daniel Nolan, William Kelly, and Richard Sheeran, all ex-Service men.

Lieutenant-Colonel Graham, who declared the houses open, said that he felt sure that the fortunate tenants would take great pride in their new homes.

A vote of thanks was passed to the Misses Sherlock, who gave the land for the houses.

The proceedings terminated with the singing of "God save the King."

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FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES

TONE AND COMMENT.

DUBLIN CONFIDENT AND GOOD.

COURTAULDS BUOYANT.

There was considerable confidence exhibited on the Dublin Stock Exchange yesterday over the probabilities of the British general election, and buyers, investors as well as market operators, made a strong movement to acquire favourite securities as the day wore on, and the final close showed remarkable strength, with buoyant features in more directions than one. The lead was taken by the Funds, both local and British. National Loans rose ¼ to ¾, and War Loan Fives finished a whole ¾ to the good, which is a reassuring improvement in such a security. There was more doing in Banking securities. Bank Stock and Provincials were higher and Munsters easier on sale of an odd lot. Guinness Ordinary opened firm and then improved. Several important departments were drawn blank, including Rails and Trams. Parent Trust Deferred was again easier. Bolands did not further vary, and Drapery shares were steady in an idle market. The feature in Manufacturing shares was a sharp important rise in Courtaulds, which closed at best. Imperial Chemical issues were well supported, and Margarine Union went ahead at the close. Lever Bros. Preference issues tended to ease. Gouldings were on offer at last price, with 1s. less bid.

LONDON BETTER.

GILT-EDGED ADVANCE FURTHER.

Dealings in the London Stock Markets yesterday were on a restricted scale, the general tendency being to await the result of the general election. Despite the slackness of interest, however, a steady to firm tone was manifest, the Gilt-edged section especially displaying a firm appearance on the decision of the New York Federal Reserve Bank to make no change in its re-discount rate, while the maintenance of the sterling dollar exchange rate exercised a beneficial influence. The Rhodesian Mining section was another strong market, quotations rallying sharply after initial losses due to profit-taking sales. The Industrial markets also displayed a firm front, especially the international issues.

For the reasons mentioned above, the Gilt-edged section presented a firm appearance. Consols at par cent., War Fives, Victory Bonds, and Bank 5½ per cent. Treasury Bonds all finished ¼ harder, and the 4½ per cent. Treasury Bonds and India 4½ per cent. were other firm spots. Little of interest transpired in Foreign Government Stocks, and quotations were, for the most part, the same as on Wednesday. Home Rails also experienced an idle session. Several firm spots were evident in Colonial and Foreign Rails, the Buenos Ayres issues all going forward, while Canpacs and Central Argentines also moved in favour of holders. American Rails continued on the up grade, rises of from a point to four points being general. Oils at the commencement of business were decidedly irregular, but a better tone developed later, while Rubber shares were firmer where altered on the improvement in the quotations for the commodity. In the Mining sections Rhodesians again attracted good support, and further appreciable improvements were scored. Other sections, however, were idle and with little movement as a result of the day's business.

FIRMER MARKETS.

An improvement of a more general character was witnessed in London Stock markets yesterday. In a measure the circumstances was a reflection of the more confident views regarding the result of the general election, assisted by the improved aspect of the Money market and the absence of any unfavourable developments in Wall Street. To some extent the recovery in prices was due to the closing of bear commitments, opened when apprehension was evident that it might be necessary to raise the Bank rate in answer to an advance in rediscount quotations in American cities. To the extent that the rise in prices was due to this procedure, the movement is less significant than it would be otherwise. Still, it is satisfactory that the day of the general election witnessed a firmer tone generally in the most important departments of the House, while indications of investment buying were not wanting.

MORE CONFIDENCE IN LOMBARD STREET.

It may be said that yesterday witnessed the disappearance of any remaining shred of apprehension of a rise in the official value of money in London, and the course of the market in the last few days has confirmed the opinion previously expressed that there was not much real ground for the previous alarm. Consequently the three months' bill rate, after touching 5⅞ per cent., or only ⅛ below the official minimum, closed yesterday at barely 5⅞ per cent., and it is virtually certain that to-day's fresh issue of Treasury bills will go on considerably more favourable terms to the Government, especially as they will have to be paid for during the period that is likely to witness considerable monetary ease, owing to the distribution on June 1 of the half-yearly dividend on 5 per cent. War Loan. There are two main reasons for this easier trend of discounts in the last few days. The most important is the firmer tendency of the sterling dollar exchange, while the New York Federal Reserve Bank this week again decided not to alter its re-discount rate.

STRENGTH OF THE BANK.

The other reason is the exceptionally strong position of the Bank of England. For many weeks now that institution has steadily augmented its gold holding, though more than once it has been necessary to pay a price above its statutory buying figure, and last week the gold was only obtainable by paying within ⅛ of the statutory selling price. The result is that the coin and bullion in both departments of the Bank is now above £163,000,000, as compared with less than £150,000,000 just before the official rate was raised to 5½ per cent. This addition of well over £13,000,000 to the stock in a period of less than four months is very satisfactory. The coin and bullion has been raised to the highest figure since November 28 last, while the reserve—thanks this week mainly to a substantial contraction in the note circulation mainly—now exceeds £63,000,000, which is probably a high record in the history of the Bank. About the middle of September last the total slightly exceeded £62,000,000. Previously the highest figures were reached in the early part of the war period, but the highest then was £55,707,000, reached on November 18, 1914.

MARCONI DATES.

The *Financial News* says:—The serving of a writ on the Marconi Company by the Venture Trust, Ltd., which we reported yesterday, has complicated the choice which lies before all the shareholders of the Marconi Company, and, especially the choice before the holders of £1 shares. We believe that the case will probably come up within the next fortnight or three weeks, and that the hearing is unlikely to occupy a great deal of time. It will be remembered that shareholders have until June 28th to accept or reject the offer, and that if necessary the final date may be extended to July 31st. There should be no necessity, therefore, for shareholders to make their decision before the Venture Trust case has been settled, and it would be wise for them to await the result before taking further action.

MARGARINE FUSION.

The *Financial News* says:—It was reported in Dublin yesterday that Jurgens, Ltd., and Van Den Berghs are acquiring Messrs. McDonnell, of Waterford, margarine manufacturers, in the Free State.

The directors of the Phœnix Assurance Company, Limited, have re-elected Sir Gerald Hemmington Ryan, Bart., and Mr. Arthur M. Walters chairman and deputy-chairman respectively.

GRAND CANAL TRAFFICS.

Last Week.	Total 21 Weeks.
-Dec.	+Inc.
£17,554—326	£48,474+1,290

INDUSTRIAL MARKET.

COURTAULDS REVIVED.

BRAZIL TRACTIONS FAVOURED.

In the absence of afternoon advices from Wall street quiet conditions ruled in most sections of the Industrial Market yesterday. Values generally were well maintained pending the election results. Brazilian Tractions, Hydro-Electrics and International Holdings gathered fresh strength, Montreal sending supporting orders, the first for some time.

Brazilian Traction Common put on a point to 53, with Hydro-Electrics marked up a similar amount to 35½. International Holdings improved to 8.

Cable and Wireless descriptions were inclined to be dull in places. Eastern Telegraphs remained at 27½, but Eastern Extension and Western Telegraph reacted slightly to 27½. Radio Corporations gave way to 8⅜, and Marconis slipped back to 7⅞s.

Quite a fair tendency was reported among Electric Supply shares under the lead of Metropolitans, which put on 1s. 9d. to 47s. 9d. Equipments, however, were inclined to be dull, Associateds easing to 51s. 9d. and British Insulated to 3½.

Although there was not a great deal doing among Motor shares, fair support was given in places. Leylands further improved to 57s. 6d., and S.T.D. Motors had buyers around 4s. 6d.

International Nickels opened at 47½, improved to 48, eventually closing at 47¾. Iron and Steel shares responded to a little provincial support.

After their recent dulness Cunards attracted attention, and although business was still of moderate proportions they improved 6d. to 25s. Court Lines proved a dull spot, and yielded 6d. to 30s. 3d.

On the increase of the yearly distribution from 16½ to 17 per cent., Standard Bank of South Africa were marked up ¼ to 15⅞. Other movements among Banks were irregular, with gains in a majority.

Most of the interest among Artificial Silks centred around Courtaulds, which, on rumours of fresh developments, were dealt in freely and finished buyers in the "street" at 4⅛, an advance of ¼. On the other hand, British Celanese Ordinary proved an uncertain market, fluctuating between 1⅛ and 2⅛, eventually closing at 2. The Second Preference, however, finished firm at 18s., an advance of 1s.

Textiles generally were firmer on the proposed dyeing merger scheme. Bleachers strengthened to 31s., Bradford Dyers to 41s., and J. and P. Coats closing buyers at 69s. 3d. ex div., and Fine Spinners at 39s.

Rather more activity was seen in Breweries, with prices generally showing a harder tendency. Benskins met with renewed inquiry at 3⅞, and there was some quiet buying of Meux's Ordinary at 41s. 6d., and Watney Def. at 61s. 6d. Distillers kept firm around 78s. 3d., with a fair business recorded in Dublin Distillers "A" shares at 8s.

The Tobacco leaders maintained a firm front, "Bats" hardening ⅛ to 6½, with "Imps." marked up a similar fraction to 5¼. Warings continued to find favour, and put on 6d. to 24s.

Margarine issues continued in the ascendant, the Unions putting on 1s. 9d. to 91s. 6d., and the Unies 2s. to 93s. 6d. Home and Colonial Ord. stiffened to 17s. on the increase in the interim dividend to 10 per cent. Aerated Bread improved 1s. to 25s. 6d.

The "Record" leaders showed little variation, but some sharp movements were seen elsewhere in this section. Vocalions were lifted to 2⅛ at one time, but weakened later to 2¼, at which they closed ¼ down on balance. Metropoles went ahead in the afternoon to 8s. 6d., only to fall back in the "street" to 6s. 3d.

Good support was again forthcoming for the Scottish Breweries. Kreuger and Toll further improved to 34½, and Swedish Match to 20½. United Molasses were well maintained at 6⅞. Imperial Chemicals remained quietly firm. Dunlops, however, turned easier at 19s. 9d.

OIL SHARES STEADY.

Taken as a whole, the Oil Share market preserved a satisfactory tendency yesterday, which was particularly noteworthy having regard to the small volume of transactions in the leaders and speculative favourites alike. The quietness of the market was attributable to the fact that public interest at the moment is negligible, while pending the result of the election, professionals are disinclined to enter into fresh commitments. Among the few features was a sharp rise in Anglo-Americans, which met with a fair amount of support. Shells, although quiet, maintained a firm tone, while Royal Dutch further strengthened in anticipation of a favourable report.

RUBBER SHARES FIRMER.

Once again the volume of business transacted in the Rubber share market was on an exceedingly small scale, but despite this a satisfactory tendency was maintained, and the few movements recorded were mostly favourable to holders. A quiet tone characterised the commodity market at the outset, but subsequently a firmer tendency developed, and the closing quotations were appreciably higher on the day. Thus spot and June sold 10¾d., 10⅝d. and 11d. per lb., July to September 11⅛d. and 11¼d. per lb., and October to December 11⅜d. to 11½d. per lb.

DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET.

The following dealings among active stocks and shares were "marked" in London yesterday:—

Consols—54⅝, 15/16, 15/16, ⅞, ⅝, 4⅝, 11/16, 12. **5 p.c. War Loan**—101, 100⅞, 101, 15/16, 11/16, 100⅞, 13/32, 14, ⅝32, 7/32. **4 p.c. War Loan**—100, 99⅞, 15/16. **Funding Loan**—87⅞, 11/16, ⅝, 15/16, 8, 7/32, 9/32, 7/32. **Conversion Loan 3½ p.c.**—77, 15/16, 11/16, 7/32, 1/32. **4 p.c. Consols**—97⅛, ⅝, 15/32, 1/2, 9/32, 14, 15/32, 5/16, ⅝. **4½ p.c. Treasury Bonds**—96 11/16. **Australia 5 p.c. Stock**—97⅝, 14, ⅛. **Aerated Bread**—24/7½, 10⅛d., 6d., 9d., 5/-. **African and Eastern**—18/4½, 5d., 15/32, 11/16, 100⅞. **Alliance Art Silk**—2/11¼, 7½d., 3/-. **Allied Newspapers Ord.** (x.d.)—44/-, 3/10½, *3d. **Anglo-Dutch Rubber**—⅜, 41/2d. **Associated Cement**—27/3, 41/2d. **Associated Newspapers Def.**—44/9, 3/9, 4/4½, 3/7½, 41/2d., 4/0¾. **Baird Television**—9/6. **Bradley's (Shepstow)**—58/9, 6d. **Brazilian Traction**—52½, ¾, ⅝, 14, ⅛, 15/16, 3, 1⅛, 2¼. **British American Tobacco**—51⅞, 15/32, *13½, 7/16, £6 8/6. **British Celanese**—38/9, 9/4½, 40/-, 3d., 8/10½, 41/3, *40/-, 11¼d., 7½d., 6d. **British Match Ord.** (x.d.)—30/-, 29/7½, 10½d., 6d., 3d., 9d., 41/2d. **British Oil and Cake**—30/6, 7½d. **Buenos Ayres Great Southern**—108¾, 9. **Calico Printers**—25/3. **Canadian Pacific** (x.d.)—299½, ½, 8½, 9¾, 8⅝, *30, 8½, 29, 1⅛, 14, 8¾, 9¼, *30. **Central Argentine Cons.**—98⅝, ¾, ½, ⅞, 9¼. **Coats (x.d.)**—69/11½, 3d., 6d., 9/-. **Cook (St. Paul's) Ord.**—13/6. **Courtaulds**—83/11½, 51⅛d., 9/9¾, 3/9½, 81⅛d., 4d., 2/6, 3/6. **Crosse and Blackwell**—4/3¾, 3/9, 10½d. **Crystalate Gramophone**—5/4½, 6d., 7½d., 6¾d. **Cunard Ord.**—5¼/7½, 10½d., 5/-, 4/9, 5/1½. **Cunard Debentures**—98¾. **Daily Mail "A" Trust**—24/7½, 5/-. **"Daily Mirror" Ord.**—32/-, 1½d., 3d., 2½d. **Dunlop Ord.**—20/-, 19/7½, 10½d., 9d., 8¼d., 11¼d. **Dunlop "G" Pref.**—25/-, *3/-, 2/9. **Dunlop Plantations**—2⅝, 2/11½, 19/9. **Elder-Dempster 6 p.c. Pref.**—16/7½, 6d. **Fine Cotton Spinners** (x.d.)—39/-. **Ford Motor**—*65/-, 7/-, 8/9. **Gallaher Pref.**—22/9, 1/9. **General Electric**—51/3, 3/6, 2/6, *3/-. **General Electric Debs.**—1-104, 3¾. **German 7 p.c. External Loan**—103½, 4. **Great Western Rail**—85⅝, ⅝, ⅛, ⅜. **Great Western 5 p.c. Pref.**—91¼, ¾, ⅞, 2. **Greek 7 p.c. Refugee**—100½, ¼, ⅛, ⅜, 99⅞. **Guinness Ord.**—88/3, 90/-, 9/6, 3/7½, 90/-, 3/9, 4/-, 90/-. **Hall and Wolf Pref.**—15/11½, 6d. **Harrods Ord.**—*73/9, 4/9, 41/2d. **Highlands Rubber**—40/-. **Hudson's Bay Ord.**—5¾, *2⅝, 2⅝, 11⅝. **Hungarian 7½ p.c., 1924**—103. **Imperial Airways**—28/9, 10½d., 9/1½, 6d. **Imperial Chemical Ord.**—35/9, 6/-, *6/-, *7½d., 5/10½, *9d., *7½d., 6/3; ditto Def.—14/6, 7½d., 41/2d., *3d., 6¾d., *4½d., 9d. **Imperial Tobacco**—102/3, *6¾d., 10½d., 2/2¼, *97/6, *98/9, 101/3, *6¾d., *2/6. **International Holdings**—7¾, 5⅝, ⅜, 7 11/16, ⅝. **Inveresk Paper**—51/10½, 9d. **Lever 7 p.c. Pref.**—23/11½, 41/2d., 6d., 9/1½d., 1d. **Lipton Ord.**—3/9, 6d., 41/2d., 7½d., 3d. **Lister Ord.**—24/3, 3/6. **London Midland and Scottish Ord.**—52¾, ⅜, ⅝, ⅛, ½, ⅜, ⅛. **London and N.E. Pref. Ord.**—27⅞, *⅜, 7, ⅛, ¼, ⅜, ⅛. **London and N.E. Def. Ord.**—12, *1 11/16, 12 15/16, ⅛, ¼. **Lyons (J.) and Co. Ord.**—103/4½. **Machine Made Sales**—7/8, 5. **Malayalam Rubber**—35/-. **Marconi Marine**—63/12½, 6d., 1/3, 10½d. **Margarine Union Ord.**—8/-6, 90/6, 9d., 90/-, *90/-, 1/3, 2/-, 91/9. **Maypole Def.**—5/6, 51d., 63d. **Metropole Gramophones**—5/10½, 7/8, 9d., 8/1½, 7/5¼, 7/-, 6d., 7½d., 7/1½. **Metropolitan Rail**—44¾, 5/-. **Parent Def.**—36/3. **Peruvian Corporation Pref.**—58, 7¾, 7½. **Phillips (Godfrey) Ord.**—30/6. **P. and O. 5 p.c. Debs.**—¾. **Provincial Cinema Theatres**—17/-. **Rean Antelope**—47/6, 6/10½, 8/1½, 7/9¾, 6-7¼, 7/2¼. **Rubber Trust** (x.d.)—42/6, 9d., 3/-, 2/10¼. **Selfridge Trust**—25/-. **Southern Rail Pref. Ord.**—7⅝, *⅜, 7, ⅝. **Spillers Def. Ord.**—30/-, 1½, ⅜, *⅜, ⅝. **Sudan Plantations**—85/7½. **Sun Insurance Office**—⅝. **Sunday Pictorial "A" Ord.**—76/6¾, 8/11½, 7/-, 6. **Swedish Match B"**—20¼, 7/6, ½, ⅝, ⅜, ⅝, ⅛. **Tobacco Securities Ord.**—145, 6d., 48, 55, *2½, 60; ditto Def.—*440, *5, *6, *7½, **Underground Income Bonds**—112, ¼. **Union Cold Storage 6 p.c. Pref.**—23/11½, 10½d., 20/3. **United Dailies**—33/6, 11¾d., 2/9. **United Molasses**—6⅞, ⅜, 13/16, ⅝, 6⅞, ⅜. **Verdant Rubber**—4/6, 81⅛d. **United Tobacco**—91/6. **Vickers**—11/-, 10/10½, 11/0½, 11¾d. **Vino Products**—16/3, 16/-. **Wall Gamble Def.**—6/6, 9d. **Westminster Bank**—78/-, 7½d., 6d., 3d., *6d.

[‡ Exceptional bargain at special price.]

LATEST CLOSING AND STREET PRICES.

BRITISH FUNDS, ETC.

	Closing.	Rise or fall.
Consols 2½ %.....	54⅞	55 .....
Do.	85¼	85⅝ + ⅛
War Loan, 4½ %.....	85½	86⅛ .....
Do. 5%	100⅞	101⅛ + ⅛
Do. (Tax Free)	99⅛	100⅛ .....
Funding Loan	87⅞	88 + ⅛
Victory Bonds	92	92⅛ .....
3½ % Conversion Loan.....	76¾	77⅛ .....
4½ % Conversion Loan.....	96	97 .....
4½ % Treasury Bonds	96½	97 + ⅛
Irish Land 3¼ %.....	57	59 .....
India 3%	57	59 .....
Do. 3½ %.....	67	68 .....
Do. 4%	78	80 + ½
Do. 5%	101	102 .....
Local Loans	63	64 .....
Sudan 5½ %	105	107 .....

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT STOCKS.

Australian Com. 5 p.c.....	99	99 .....
Do. do. 6 p.c.....	100	102 .....
British Columbia 4½ p.c. 1941.....	91	92 .....
Canada 4 p.c., 1940-60.....	89	91 .....
Cape 3½ p.c. Cons.	81	83 .....
Ceylon 6 p.c.	100	103 .....
N.S.W. 3½ p.c., 1935-45.....	91	93 .....
Do. 5 p.c., 1945-65.....	98	99 .....
Do. 6½ p.c., 1930-40.....	99	100 .....
New Zealand 4 p.c. Cons., '29.....	98	100 .....
Do. 5 p.c., 1946	103	105 .....
Nigeria 6 p.c.	110	112 .....
Queensland 5½ p.c., 1926-29.....	103½	105½ .....
Do. 5 p.c., 1940-60	96	98 .....
South African 5 p.c., 1935-45	99	101 .....
Do. 6 p.c., 1929-49.....	100	102 .....
South Australian 5 p.c., 1932-42.....	99	99 .....
Do. 6½ p.c.	101	103 .....
Victoria 5 p.c. 1932-42.....	96	98 .....
Do. 5 p.c., 1945-75.....	96	100 .....
Western Australian 5 p.c., 1935-45	96	98 .....
Do. 6 p.c., 1930-40.....	101	103 .....

BANKS.

Anglo-South American.....	7⅝	7⅞ .....
Bank of Australasia.....	14⅛	14⅝ .....
Bank of England.....	249	253 +2
Bank of Montreal	66	70 .....
Bank of New South Wales.....	48½	49½ .....
Do. New Zealand	80/6	81/6 .....
Barclay's "A" Shares.....	71⅝	73 .....
British Overseas	5¾	5⅞* .....
Canadian of Commerce.....	55	56* .....
Chartered of India	19½	19⅝ + ⅛
Hong Kong and Shanghai.....	131	134 .....
Lloyds.....	63 6	64/0 + 0/3
Martins.....	7½	7⅝ .....
Midland	9⅛	9⅛ – ⅛
National Discount "B".....	9⅝	9⅞ – ⅛
National Provincial (£4 pd.)	13	13
Royal of Canada.....	15	15½ .....
Standard of South Africa.....	15⅝	15⅞ + ¼
Union of Australia.....	15	15½ .....
Westminster Bank (£1)	78/0	79/0 .....

FOREIGN BONDS.

M.U.—May 27.		
101¼ Argentine 5 p.c., 1886.....	100	102 .....
Do. 4 p.c. Rescissions.	84	86 .....
95½ Do. 5 p.c., 1909	94	96* .....
103 Austrian 6 p.c. Guar.....	102	104 .....
105 Belgian 7 p.c.	105	107 .....
97¾ Brazil 6½ p.c. S. Bds. '27	92	94 .....
98 Do. Funding, 1908	93	97 .....
82 Do. 5 p.c., 1895	81	83 .....
96¼ Chinese 5 p.c., 1896	96	98 .....
75½ Do. 4½ p.c., 1898	75	77 .....
45½ Do. 5 p.c., 1913	44	47 .....
64¼ Do. 5 p.c. Reorg., 1913	63	65 .....
68½ Do. Imp. Ry. 5 p.c. Gld.	68	71 .....
111½ Czecho-Slovakia Bonds...	110	112 .....
79¾ Egyptian Unified	78½	80½ .....
20⅝ French Loan	20⅛	20⅝* .....
18 Do. 4 p.c.	17	19 .....
103½ Germans to Purchase.....	103	105 .....
100¼ Greek 7 p.c.	100	101 + ⅛
18½ Italian Rentes	17⅞	18⅛ .....
98½ Japan 4 p.c., 1905	98	98⅜ .....
30⅜ Mexican 5 p.c., 99.....	26	30 .....
Do. 6 p.c. 10-Y. Treas.	26	28 .....
34½ Peruvian Corporation ...	17	35 + ¼
17½ Do. Pref.	17	18* .....
10 Do. Deb.	99	101* .....
87 Poland 7 p.c. Sterling...	85	87 .....
42 Portuguese 3 p.c.	42½	44½ .....
75 Spanish 4 p.c.	70	75 .....
20 Turkish Unified	19¼	20⅛b – ¼

b Ex coupon.

BRITISH RAILS.

85½ Great Western	85	86 .....
— Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	90½	92½ .....
52¼ Ldn., Mid. & Scot. Ord.	52	53 .....
— Do. 4 p.c. Pref.	87½	90 .....
— Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pref.	94	96 .....
— Do. 4 p.c. Pref., 1923	85½	87½ .....
28 Lon. North-East. 5 p.c. Pref. Ord.	27½	28½ .....
12¾ Do. Def. Ord.	12	12½ .....
— Do. 4 p.c. 1st Pref...	84½	86½ .....
— Do. 4 p.c. 2nd Pref...	84½	86½ .....
61 Metropolitan	60½	61½ .....
76½ Do. District	76	77 .....
73¾ Southern Pref. Ord.	73	74 .....
30½ Do. Def. Ord.	30	30 .....
— Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	87	89 .....
23/3 Underground Elec. (£21).	23/0	24/0 .....
111½ Do. Income Bonds ...	112	113 .....

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

108 Antofagasta.....	109	111 .....
— Argentine (G. W. Ord....	99	101 .....
— Bahia Blanca Gnar. Stk.	80½	82½ .....
107¾ Buenos Ayres Gt. Sthn.	108	110 +1
102¾ Buenos Ayres Pacific ...	103	105 +1
94 Buenos Ayres and W....	94½	96½ +1½
— Canadian National Guar.	66	68 .....
230½ Canadian Pacific	228	230* +1
97¾ Central Argentine	96	97 +1
91 Do. Def.	91	93 + ½
97 Central Uruguay	91	93 .....
— Cordoba Central	38	40 .....
68 Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	64½	66½* .....
64½ Do. 2nd Pref.	62	64* .....
97½ Entre Rios	96½	98½ .....
— Do. 6 p.c. Cum. Pref.	94	96 .....
— Grand Trunk 4 p.c. Guar.	80	82 .....
— Do. 4 p.c. Perp. Deb.	79	81 .....
— Internat. of Cent. Amer.	43	46 .....
— Londonderry	58	60* .....
— Mexican Rails	5	6 .....
13 Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	12	14 .....
5 Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	4	6 .....
203 San Paulo Ord.	202	206*‡ .....
40½ United Havana	39	41 .....

AMERICAN RAILS.

— Atchison	221	224* .....
— Chesapeake	220	222 +2
— Chicago Milwaukee New	30¼	30¾ +1
72½ Erie	73	75 +1
— Do. 1st Pref.	62	64 +2
— New York Ontario	25	27 +1
— Pennsylvania	78	80 +2
— Southern Common	146	148 +4
— Southern Pacific	130	132* .....
224½ Union Pacific	227	229* .....

BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES.

31.0 Allsopp £1 Shares	30/6	32/0 .....
71/6 Bass Ratcliff Ord.	3½	3⅝* .....
13.0 Brewers of Vancouver...	12.9	13.3 .....
— City of London Def. (6/-)	13/6	14/6 +0/3
70/0 Courage Ord.	37/6	38/6 .....
77/6 Distillers Ord.	77/0	78/6 .....
90/0 Guinness Ord. (£1 units)	4⅜	4½ .....
72/6 Hoare Ord.	2⅝/6	2⅝/6 .....
68/3 Ind Coope Ord.	2⅝/6	3⅞/6 .....
59/9 South African Breweries	2⅝/6	3⅞/6 .....
— Walker (John) Ord.	13/3	24/3* .....
62/6 Watney, Combe Def. (£1)	61/0	62/0 +0/3

ELECTRIC SUPPLY.

— Bournemouth and Poole	66/0	67/0 +1/0
26/6 Charing Cross	26/6	26/9 .....
— Chelsea Ord.	26/0	27/0 +0/3
— City of London	33/0	33/0 +0/1½
33/0 County of London	35/0	36/0 +0/9
55/0 Dalgety	29/0	30/0 .....
27/9 London Electric	27/9	28/3 + 0/1½
46/6 Metropolitan	47/3	48/3 + 1/9
29/6 Newcastle	26/0	27/0 + 0/3
27/0 Ottoman	26	27½ +0/4½
— South London	25/6	27/6* .....
26.0 Westminster	26/1½	26/7½ .....
— Whitehall Inv. Pref.	24/3	24/9 .....

INSURANCE.

20 Alliance £20 (£2 4/- p.)	19	20* .....
14 Atlas £5 (£1 5/- p.).....	13½	14½ .....
13 Caledonian £5 (£1 paid)...	13½	14½ .....
13¾ Eagle Star Ord. £5.....	12½	13⅝ .....
79/6 Employers' £1 (5/- p.)...	78 6	80/6 .....
16 Gen. Accdt. £5 (£1 p.)...	15½	16½ .....
9d. Hardinge £1 (10/- p.)...	10½	11½ .....
30 L. & Lan. Fire £5 (£1 p.)	29½	30½ .....
11 Lon. Ass. £24 (£21 p.)...	10½	11½ .....
34¼ N.B. & Mer. £5 (£1 p.)	33¼	36¼* .....
17½ Northern £10 (£1 p.)...	17	18* .....
14¼ Phœnix £10 (£1 p.)	13¾	14¼ .....
14½ Do. £1 (7.6.)	14½	15 .....
24 Prudential	23½	24½ .....
— Do. "B" £1 (4/- p.)...	3⅛	3⅝ .....
6½ Royal Exchange	6¼	6⅝* .....
8/0 Roy. (Liv.) £5 (10/- p.)	8⅜	8⅞* .....
41½ Sun Ins. £10 (£2 p.)...	39½	40½* .....
53 Sun Life £10	52	54* .....
16½ Yorkshire £5 (10/- p.)...	15½	16½‡* .....

IRON, COAL AND STEEL.

3/3 Amal. Anthracite	8/10½	9/4½ –0/1½
1/0 Armstrong (W. G.)	0/9	1/3 .....
64/6 Babcock, Wilcox Ord. ...	64/0	65/0 .....
5/0 Baldwins	5/0	5/6 +0/3
7/6 Brown (John)	7/3	7/9 .....
2⅛ Buell Combustion	1⅞	2 .....
— Cammell, Laird	4/3	4/9 .....
58/6 Cory (Wm.)	58/6	60/6 .....
10/6 Dorman Long	10/3	10/9 + 0/1½
4/6 International Nickel	47½	48 .....
5/6 Pease and Partners	5/3	5/6 –0/3
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11/3

PRODUCE AND FOOD MARKETS.

Dublin—Cattle trade slow and prices lower; Sheep dull and dragging; trade in Dairy Cattle tedious and disappointing; Pigs slow and depressed. York—Small show Irish Stores, poor inquiry at late rates. Manchester—Pigs lower. Bristol.—Stores slow at late rates. Butter unchanged at Copenhagen. Tin easier. Coppec dearer. Rubber stronger.

CATTLE.

DUBLIN (Metropolitan).—A falling off in the numerical pressure of our cattle supply this week barely saved the money position from further sharp discounting. Business opened in a belated and lethargic manner, there being scarcely any real general move in buying for an hour or so after usual time, while prices lacked cohesion or certainty throughout the day's proceedings. There was a conspicuous withdrawal of grass cattle owing to the discouraging support extended to them last week. It is well known, however, that considerable herds of forward and suitably meated grass beasts are already available in principal grazing districts throughout the country when a demand for them is manifest. Choice small stall-fed heifers and oxen scarcely rated so evenly as previously and 52s. to 53s. per cwt. were sale records that were rarely exceeded. In fact on scale test reckoning the market appears to have figured 1s. to 2s. per cwt. worse in the main than last week, although hand sales this was not generally mitted. Sheep proved a decidedly slow d weaker trade with values still contently slipping back. Lambs, however, manded a greatly improved and firmer e. Values opened with a certain buoyancy, hardened as business went on and rket closed at its best with requirements unsatisfied. Besides usual exporters re were about eight or ten new men ing for an hour or so after usual time, hile prices lacked cohesion or certainty roughout the day's proceedings. There as a conspicuous withdrawal of grass cattle wing to the discouraging support extended them last week. It is well known, however, that considerable herds of forward and itably meated grass beasts are already ailable in principal grazing districts roughout the country when a demand for em is manifest. Choice small stall-fed eifers and oxen scarcely rated so evenly s previously and 52s. to 53s. per cwt. were le records that were rarely exceeded. In ct on scale test reckoning the market ppears to have figured 1s. to 2s. per cwt. rse in the main than last week, although hand sales this was not generally mitted. Sheep proved a decidedly slow d weaker trade with values still contently slipping back. Lambs, however, manded a greatly improved and firmer e. Values opened with a certain buoyancy, hardened as business went on and rket closed at its best with requirements unsatisfied. Besides usual exporters re were about eight or ten new men ing for an hour or so after usual time, hile prices lacked cohesion or certainty roughout the day's proceedings. There as a conspicuous withdrawal of grass cattle wing to the discouraging support extended to them last week. It is well known, however, that considerable herds of forward and itably meated grass beasts are already ailable in principal grazing districts roughout the country when a demand for em is manifest. Choice small stall-fed eifers and oxen scarcely rated so evenly s previously and 52s. to 53s. per cwt. were le records that were rarely exceeded. In ct on scale test reckoning the market ppears to have figured 1s. to 2s. per cwt. rse in the main than last week, although hand sales this was not generally mitted. Sheep proved a decidedly slow d weaker trade with values still contently slipping back. Lambs, however, manded a greatly improved and firmer e. Values opened with a certain buoyancy, hardened as business went on and rket closed at its best with requirements unsatisfied. Besides usual exporters re were about eight or ten new men ing for last year by the Hon nedy, Dame of Grace of the John,

e Prime Minister (Lord Cra Minister of Agriculture (Sir dale, D.L.) and other members o ment visited the Show during t , and were cordially received b ers, exhibitors, and others in the

THE HORSES.

unter Gelding or Mare, any age, to ladv (side saddle).—1, George B. mena—The Aga; 2, Mrs. G. B. Row Belfast—Irish Artists; 3, N. Gubb poyne, Co. Meath—Pennsylvania.

POLO PONIES.

allion, Gelding or Mare, likely to mak to be shown under saddle.—1, aldin, Banbridge—Deadem; 2, Robert ast—Mary's Pet; 3, Barry Pellan, Lark.

CHILDREN'S PONIES.

ild's Pony, not exceeding 14 hands, and to be ridden by a boy or girl o of age.—1, Miss Margaret Todd, Rose; 2, John Bamber, Bamber ; 3, Robert Laverty, Moy—Dunmore ild's Pony, 12.2 hands and under, sui to be ridden by a boy or girl 16 years under the pony to be bona fide the pro ember of the rider's family.—1, Miss say, The Quarry House, Belfast—Bess ston Turner, Belfast—Molly; 3, Miss . Rockport, Craigavad Perry.

he two miniature silver cups presented ety in Children's Pony Classes were ohn Bamber's Red Bray and Miss Clair Bluebell.

CUPS AND MEDALS.

he Thompson Perpetual Challenge Cup Half-bred Colt, Gelding or Filly fo of 1928, was awarded to Mr. J. pbell, Belfast, for a beautiful chestn

he Commercial Travellers' Challenge best Hunter Mare or Gelding, three rs old, went to Mr. Joseph Laverty, Dub Liberator, a fine brown four-year-old the reserve position fell to Mr. Walter Banbridge, for Golden Rod, a handso -old chestnut gelding.

he Derramore Challenge Cup, for three-year-old Hunter, Gelding or M arded to Mr. John Bamber, Bamber den Vein, a three-year-old chestnut, w e was taken by Mr. W. V. M'Cleery, B May Dawn, a pretty three-year-old the Champion Cup for the best Hun etitor, classes won by Lieut.-Colonel ghee, Craigavad, for Sandman, a b wn gelding; while Mr. Laverty's Lib ered.

he Clydesdale Silver Medal for the d Clydesdale Stallion, any age, w g to Mr. John R. Finlay Killinchy

ge, the Clydesdale Medal for the best esdale Mare or Filly, any age, was Mr. J. C. Drennan, and the reser J. H. Wray, Raphoe, for Ballyboy

SHEEP CLASSES.

Border Leicester Perpetual Challenge guineas), for the best pen of fo cester Sheep, comprising a shearing earling ewe and a ram lamb and a d by and exhibited by an exhibito Ireland, awarded to R. W. Bell; resv rmer.

Challenge Cup, presented for the be cester Shearling Ram or Ewe, awarde ell; reserve, Thomas Horner.

Special prize, presented by the Society cester Sheep Breeders for the best cester Animal registered or eligible for in the Flock Book of the Society, ng in flock in Ireland, but not necessar land, won by R. W. Bell; reserve, sam

Border Leicester Ram, two shear and R. W. Bell, Hillsborough—The Down

Border Leicester Shearling Ram—1 Hillsborough; 3, Thomas

mber—Bold Venture.

Border Leicester Shearling Ram—1 rner—Test Match; 2, R. W. Bell; rter, Hillsborough—Edenrilick Repeal Border Leicester Ewe, having reared Otha 39, William Porter; 2, Mrs. M'Ilmoyle; 3, R. J. Gill, junior, Ba Border Leicester Shearling Ewe—1, Hillsborough; 2, R. W. Bell; 3, the Ilmoyle, Dervock.

Border Leicester Ewe Lamb—1, R Robert W M'Gregor; 3, R. W. Be Border Leicester Ewe Lamb—1, Ja ep Co., Ballyclare; 2, R. J. Gill, j

CHAMPION AND OPEN CLASSES.

The equestrian events in the afte nessed by a large gathering, the st and stand and popular parts of th e spectators included the Duke and rcorn, the Prime Minister, and the ricultural Minister.

Jumping—Over the course (open to ch weights)—1, John Warwick, Be David Collen, Portadown—Tony; 3, Driving—Single Harness Horses (14 er)—1, Wm. S. Miller—Kilpatrick Mald John M'Watters—Oldpark Maid of Jumping—Over the course (open to ch weights, ridden by ladies)—1, Mi Aldin Bamber—Red Bray and Miss Bluebell.

Over the course (open to Hunters)—1, Miss Margaret Todd, Rose; 2, Robert Laverty, Moy—Dunmore; 3, Miss Margaret Todd, Rose; 2, John Bamber, Bamber—Red Bray and Miss Bluebell.

Over the course (open to Ponies, ridden by ladies)—1, Miss Margaret Todd, Rose; 2, Robert Laverty, Moy—Dunmore; 3, Miss Margaret Todd, Rose; 2, John Bamber, Bamber—Red Bray and Miss Bluebell.

Over the course (open to Ponies, ridden by gentlemen)—1, Miss Margaret Todd, Rose; 2, Robert Laverty, Moy—Dunmore; 3, Miss Margaret Todd, Rose; 2, John Bamber, Bamber—Red Bray and Miss Bluebell.

Over the course (open to Ponies, ridden by boys or girls under 16 years of age)—1, Miss Margaret Todd, Rose; 2, John Bamber, Bamber—Red Bray and Miss Bluebell; 3, Robert Laverty, Moy—Dunmore.

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